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CONVENTION POSTPONED.

The annual convention of the Kentucky Billposters and Distributors Association has been postponed from the first Monday in May to the second Monday in May. The meeting will take place at Seibach's Hotel, Louisville, Ky., Monday, May 11, at 10 a. m.

ENLARGING PLANT.

The Duluth and Superior (Minn.) Billposting Company is erecting 1,000 feet of iron billboards at Duluth, and 500 feet of the same material at Superior. They will also face all of their old boards with iron which will add greatly to the value and facilities of their plant, iron being less subject to weather changes in a lake climate..

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DAUBS.

Joe Everich has applied for a position with the Wallace Show advance.

Barney Link was much benefited by his recent stay at the Springs.

The Texas State Billposters and Distributors Association will convene at Waco, June 23.

The Duluth and Superior (Minn.) Billposting company have erected about 2,000 feet of iron billboards.

J. A. Worthington is posting for Montgomery, Ward & Co., and the Continental Tobacco Co., in Anna, Jonesboro and Dongola, Ill.

J. D. McManus formerly editor of The Billboard and The Billposter will be press-agent-in-advance of Pawnee Bill's Wildwest.

A joint conference was recently held between the representatives of "Scapa" and the Billposters' Associations of England. The meeting was entirely amicable and an agreement is in prospect.,

E. O. Burroughs reports the following paper on his boards at Winamac, Ind.—Montgomery Ward & Co., Cremo Cigars, 3 months showing; Hunting Tobacco, Good Hair Soap, Queen Shoes and 1872 Cigars.

Wm. P. Cahill, formerly manager of the Salem Billposting Company, has been let out, owing to a desire of the proprietors to deduct from the expenses of the concern. Mr. Cahill is at liberty for an engagement.

Ballard and Veatch report the following paper on their boards at Carmi, Ill.,.—Continental Tobacco Company, N. Y., Strouse Brothers, Evansville, Ind., and Montgomery, Ward and Co., Chicago, Ill. Also circus paper for J. H. Morgan and Co., and Colorado Grant.

B. D. Stevers, of Denison Iowa, reports his business in good shape. During April he has been posting Johnson's Soap and Montgomery, Ward & Company through Troop, and Carrara Paint through Runey. XXXX Coffee, Duke's Mixture Tobacco, two kinds of corsets, Seltz Shoes, and Marlowe.

Secretary H. F. Dickinson of Local No. 4 of Philadelphia Billers and Billposters Union is very ill from paralysis of the stomach. He has been confined to his bed for a number of days and although he is under the care of two of Philadelphia's most prominent physicians he is in a very serious condition.

George H. Barnum at Knox, Ind., has changed the name of his plant from the City Billposting and Distributing Co., to the Knox Billposting Co. He has erected thirty feet of new boards and is posting Cremo and 1872 Cigars, besides a lot of theatrical work. He will put up a lot more lumber as soon as he can find time.

Notes from Col. C. M. Futterer at Hagerstown, Md.—All my boards are full and the contracts are still coming. High winds have been playing havoc with my paper and many sheets had to be reposted. Several thirty foot boards were erected last week and many improvements are now going on. I have paper up advertising R. & G. Corsets, Coca Cola, Gold Dust and some theatrical paper.

Mrs. R. C. Campbell and family will sail for Europe, Thursday, April 30, via the Hamburg-American line steamship, Bluecher. Mrs. Campbell expects to be gone three or four months. She will make Berlin her headquarters while abroad and with that city as a center expects to do the country round about with frequent short trips by rail, automobile excursions and coaching side trips in the mountains. Mr. Campbell will accompany them as far as New York and see them safe on board the steamer.

The Southeastern States Billposters and Distributors Association will convene in the Banquet Hall of the Kimball House, Atanta, Ga., May 18. J. B. Stewart, 720-722 Temple Court, Atlanta, Ga., is the committee in charge of the arrangements. President Burdridge and the executive committee extended an invitation to all billposters from other territory outside of the Southeastern States to attend. National advertisers are also invited to have representatives present whose views on actions to be taken will be considered beneficial to advertisers and the trade generally.

Philadelphia Local Number 4, National Alliance Billposters and Billers of America held two special meetings on Friday, April 17 and Tuesday, April 21, for the purpose of initiating the non-union billposters and billers on Cars number One and Two of the Barnum & Bailey Shows. Fourteen new members were initiated on those evenings, and the result is that cars number One and Two of the Barnum & Bailey Shows are now manned exclusively by union men. On the same evenings social sessions were held at which there was an abundance of refreshments and quite a number of professional talent to amuse the visitors and members. The entertainment committee consisted of H. Stecker, Jack Ryan and Thos. Egan and they deserve great credit for the enjoyment they gave to all present. Wm. Collins, a clever comedian amused the people and Stecker and Stewart gave some very difficult steps in buck and wing dancing. Jos. Comte entertained with French songs. Jos. Ennis gave a creditable monologue, and the President of the Local made a very interesting address. A number of the visitors also made short speeches noticeably Dan Sweeney, Steve Dwyer and Bill Hart. These affairs will help to promote a lot of good fellowship among the members and others and will no doubt prove instrumental in getting many new members for the unions in different parts of the country.

DISTRIBUTORS' NOTES.

Ballard and Veatch of Carmi, Ill., are distributing for Sloan's Liniment Co., Chattanooga, Tenn.

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B. D. Stevers, of Denison, Iowa, has been tacking and distributing Peal's Medicine, Keystone Overalls, Peruna Drug Company, Dr. Shoop's medicine, and tacking for the Cheney Medicine Company, and Sun Proof Paint.

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INKLINGS.

Fred Felton, formerly manager of the Central City Show Print Company, Jackson, Mich., has taken the management of the Bell Opera House at Benton Harbor, Mich.

The Great Western Printing Company, of St. Louis, Mo., has just completed a new sixteen-sheet pictorial poster for the Forest Park Highlands of St. Louis. It is a meritorious piece of work.

KANSAS CITY, MO.

The Willis Wood (Walter Sanford, Mgr.) Mary Mannering in The Stubbornness of Geraldine, attracted large audiences 20-22; while Richard Mansfield in repertoire was greeted by standing room, 23-25. It goes without saying that both of the attractions were all that could be desired, from an artistic standpoint. Nance O'Neil in high-class repertoire is announced for week of 27.

The Grand (Hudson and Judah, Mgrs.) Leon Herrman, the magician, presenting some new effects in prestidigitation and many time-honored illusions met with good business week of 19. Henrietta Crosman in The Sword of The King should do well week of 26.

The Orpheum (Martin Lehman, Mgr.) Fisher and Carroll, the eccentric comedians, headed the bill at this house week of 19. Business continues good. Milly Capelle with her trained horse and dogs, heads the program week of 26, which includes:—Elizebth Murray, monologist; Foy & Clark, in a comedy sketch; Freydo Brothers, European acrobats; Unthan, the armless wonder; Bernard Dyllin, character soloist; Whitney Brothers, musical artists and the kinodrome, presenting new moving pictures.

The Auditorium (Woodward and Burgess, Mgrs.) The stock put on an excellent production of the Little Minister, week of 19. Alice Hunt as Lady Babbie gave a most artistic portrayal, while Frederick Sumner made a favorable impression as the Little Minister. Nathan Hale, with Lester Lonergan in the title role, is announced for week of 26.

The Gilliss (E. S. Brigham, Mgr.) The Denver Express, presented by a company of average merit drew good houses week of 19. Sandy Bottom, is th attraction for week of 26.

NOTES.

The latest circus which will appear here this summer is John Robinson's, due in July.

Weber and Fields with their all-star company will give one performance at the Grand Opera House, May 14. Packed house at advanced price will probably greet them.

The local lodge of Elks will have their annual benefit at the Willis Wood, May 15. Volunteers from all the companies in town at that time will appear. CHARLES H. SMALL.

TORONTO, CAN.—Grand, (Small & Stair, Mgrs.) Lord Strathmore is a play of the Zaza order and good sized audiences enjoyed it week of April 20. Coming: Adelaide Thurston, April 27-May 2.

Shea's, (J. Shea, Mgr.) The Aborn Opera Co., April 20-25, put on Rob Roy. The house was crowded at every performance. Next week they produce the Highwayman.

Massey Hall, (S. A. Houston, Mgr.) Dr. W. H. Drummond lectured April 23 to a fair audience. The annual Horse Show and Military Tournament takes place at the Amourics, April 29-May 2. Mgr. A. J. Small will erect a splendid up-to-date theatre on the site of the burned Toronto. It will seat over 2,000 and is to be ready by next August.

Princess was dark week of April 20-25. Coming: April 27-May 2, The Holy City.
J. A. GIMSON.

DETROIT, MICH.—Avenue Theatre (H Lamkin, Mgr.) Mr. and Mrs. Neil Litchfield, Frank Bunman and Rose Adele, The Great Rapoli, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Kelcy, Madge Fox, O. G. Seymour and Maud C. Dupre, Carter De Haven Trio, The Four Bards, The American Vitagraph. The show played to crowded houses.

Detroit Opera House (B. Whitney, Mgr.) Apr. 21, Wm. Gillette in Sherlock Holmes; Apr. 28, Roger Bros in Harvard.

Lyceum Theatre (A. Warner, Mgr.) April 20, Pike Theatre Co., in Mrs. Dane's Defence; April 27, Fanchon, the Cricket.

Whitney Opera House (Chas. Altman, Mgr.) April 20, Alaska. April 27, A Ruined Life.

Empire Theatre (A. L. Hertzman, Mgr.) Apr. 20, City Sports, to fairly good house. April 27, Knickerbocker Burlesquers. G. W. B.

DULUTH, MINN.—Lyceum, (C. A. Marshall, Mgr.) April 17-18, matinee, Arizona, to packed houses. York State Folks drew crowded houses April 21-22. Coming: April 23, Carmen, Grand Opera in English; April 24-25, A Telephone Girl; April 28-29, James O'Neil; April 30, Hi Henry's Minstrels; May 1-2, Uncle Josh Spruceby. The Northwestern Opera Co. will appear at the Lyceum in June, with two operas a week.

Metropolitan, (W. H. Reaney, Mgr.) The Ferris Comedians closed successful week April 18. A Celebrated Case gave entire satisfaction to well filled houses. April 20-21-22, a large audience greeted the Ferris Comedians in The Octeroon. Coming, April 23-24-25, A Soldier of the Empire; April 27-28-29, American Girl; Apr. 30-May 1-2, For Home and Honor. J. H. S.

PADUCAH, KY.—Kentucky Theatre, (James E. English, Mgr.) A Gambler's Daughter pleased a fair audience (return engagement) 20.. Coming. April 24, Benefit Recital for Prof. Deal, orchestra leader. April 28, Herman, the Great. April 29, Benefit Recital for Miss Alma Hayes, who is studying for the stage. The above closes the regular winter season for Paducah and house will be dark until fall.

NOTES.

Montrose O. Howard and wife (Enola Mandeville) of this city, closed with A Hoosier Girl at Allentown, Pa., April 8, and have returned home for a short vacation before entering on a summer vaudeville tour. G. D. SWIFT.

SANDUSKY, O.—Neilsen Opera House, (Geo. A. Boeckling, Mgr.) Are You A Mason?, April 14, to large audience. Hello Bill, April 15, had small house. Gus Sun's Minstrels, April 17, gave satisfaction to a large audience. Booked: A Texas Steer, April 22; My Friend from India, April 27; The New Dominion, (local), April 30. Note:—James A. Ryan arrived home last week after a successful season with Porter J. White Company, which closed April 18. Mr. Ryan will act as press agent for Cedar Point this summer. C. LeCLAIR.

WATERLOO, IA.—Brown's Opera House, (C. F. Brown, Mgr.) The Millionaire Tramp, April 13, pleased a fair house. Little Outcast, April 15, pleased a fair house. A Devil's Lane, April 18, (return) delighted a house that was not as large as it should have been. The Chase Lister Repertoire Co. opened a week's engagement Apr. 20 and pleased S. R. O. Coming: The Man from Sweden, April 30. This will close the season of this house and work will immediately proceed for an early opening in August.
E. H. E.

STAUNTON, VA.—Opera House, (Barkman & Shultz, Managers.) Thelma, 13, to fair business; Winchester, 15 and 16, to good business and performance. The Arnold Stock Co. opened for a week in Repertoire, 20, to large houses. Gentry's Dog and Pony Show, 29.

NOTES.

Minor Bell left last night to join the advance forces of the Pawnee Bill Wild West Show.

Mr. Albert Shultz, manager of the Opera House, is at Atlantic City on a vacation and looking after the interests of the house.

DECATUR, ILL.—Power's Grand Opera House (J. F. Given, Mgr.) Apr. 15, Francis Wilson in The Toreador, pleased good house. Apr. 17, Over Niagara Falls, had a fair house. Coming, Apr. 22, Lulu Glaser; Apr. 24, High School Concert; 25, Peck's Bad Boy; 26, Christian Science, lecture; Apr. 27, and all week, Rosar and Mason Comedy Co.; May 2, Ringling Bros., Circus; May 4, Gideon's Minstrels; May 5, Alice Fisher in Mrs. Jack; May 11, and week The Shannons. PERCY S. EWING.

HARTFORD CITY, IND.—Van Cleve Theatre (W. L. Van Cleve, Mgr.) The Flaming Arrow, 14, to S. R. O. The Burglar and the Waif, 17, pleased a large audience. Season of 1902-3 closed and season of 1903-4 opens Aug. 28, 1903. Gentry's Dog and Pony Show, May 5; Harris' Nickel Plate Circus, June 5.
W. N. KEMP.

ST. THOMAS, ONT.—New Grand Opera House, (Geo. Stacey, Mgr.) James Boys in Missouri pleased a small house April 16. Gordon-Shay Grand Opera Company in Il Trovatore, April 21, to small audience.

Duncombe Opera House, (Geo. Stacey, Mgr.) Glick Stock Co., week April 20-25, to large business. D. A. MacIntyre.

RICHMOND, KY.—New Opera House, (D. C. Wiggins & Bro., Mgrs.) Other People's Money 21, good house, excellent company.

Grand Opera House, (B. Jouett, Secy.) House dark April 20-24. Coming: Other People's Money, 25; Folks up Willow Creek, 29.
P. L. WILLGING.

BRADFORD, PA.—Wagner Opera House, (Fred Wagner, Mgr.) The Two Sisters, 16, to a fair audience. Stetson's U. T. C. Co., 18, to big houses, matinee and night. Coming: Adelaide Thurston in Cozy Corners, April 24; King Dodo, April 27; Jefferson De Angelis, April 29.
J. BAKER.

MIAMI, MO.—Dunlap Hall, (R. A. Dunlap, Mgr.) April 22, The Scheme That Failed, (local) to big house. Public School, Apr. 28.

DRAMATIC VAUDEVILLE MUSIC THEATRICAL MINSTREL BURLESQUE OPERA

A PLEA

For the Western Melodrama. The Traveling Manager vs. The Daily Editor.

The Billboard is in receipt of the following letter which we publish without comment believing it to be self-explanatory.
Editor Billboard, Cincinnati, O.

Dear Sir:—In the last few weeks you can seldom glance over a daily paper without seeing some article referring in derogatory terms to companies using the word "Outlaw" in their title. The New Jersey legislature has recently enacted a law prohibiting the production of any play synonomous with ideal life in the strenuous West. Just fancy "The Home of Trusts," "The Cradle of Morgan" laying claims to any sense of conservatism. The legislator that promoted and supported this bill must have either been a practical joker or has been refused complimentary tickets by the manager. A claim is made that such plays have a tendency to corrupt the morals of the "Young idea and guide him down the path that leads the other way." Who ever witnessed a play wherein wrong triumphed over right or where the wrong doer or "The Villian" ever escaped just punishment? If the youth of this United States would follow the example taught and use the stage as a preceptor they would never suffer any demoralizing effect from so doing. Side by side in the same paper containing the "Outlaw" knocks you will read an eulogy on some deed of heroism performed off the stage. Now if this act in real life is worthy of praise and is held up as an example for "Young America" to emulate, does not the same act in mimic life deserve the same praise? The same cause can not consistently produce opposite effects. These advocates of a moss-grown age and forgotten period, do not seem to grasp the fact that the stage has reached that state where it elevates, not degenerates, and, that each lesson well taught upon the stage enhances the dignity of the play and players and gains them financial as well as artistic recognition. But there is always a class of cynics and pessimists who seem to take an insane delight and a fiendish joy in retarding the progress of matters which their feeble, narrow minds are incapable of interpreting. It is an established scientific fact that imbecility is hereditary, and will descend even to the third and fourth generation. Now, here is the point, if the western drama has this bad effect on the youthful mind, there must be a few inherited microbes soaring around in the youthful cranium, or, it would not be so susceptible to inoculation. If I were writing this article in fable form I would append the moral, "Narrow minds should not attempt to explore the broad woods, as they may get lost in the tangled vines."

Yours respectfully,
C. H. Adkins,
Business Manager "A Montana Outlaw Co."

NORTHWESTERN MANAGERS MEET.

The Northwestern Theatre Managers Association of Wisconsin, Michigan, and Minnesota, met in Oshkosh, Wis., April 20, for the discussion of subjects of interest to proprietors and managers.

Among those present were C. A. Marshall, of Duluth, president of the association, who represented Duluth and West Superior theatres; C. T. Greene of Menominee, secretary and treasurer of the association, representing Menominee and Marinette theaters; John D. Cudolhy of Calumet; A. J. Rundle of Iron Mountain; C. S. Cone of Wausau, representing Wausau and Merrill theatres; P. B. Haber of Fond du Lac; J. A. Hawes of Appleton; John E. Williams of Oshkosh. Others in the association represented, but not present at the meeting are Edward M. Fuller of Madison; W. H. Leach of the Soo; John B. Arthur of Green Bay; William T. Seeger of Ashland; Peter L. Myers of Janesville; C. J. Zelker of Racine; W. H. Stoddard of Sheboygan; C. D. Moon of Eau Claire; E. J. Butler of Ishpeming; P. M. Peterson of Escanaba.

They discussed ways and means of securing a better class of attractions all along the line and of giving the public better shows for their money. It was generally agreed that the circuit in the northwest is now a very attractive one, due in large measure to the opening of a number of new houses and that the managers are able took book a much higher grade of attractions than formerly. Still further improvement is in prospect for next year. The managers gained an abundance of information and advice through discussions of the details of managing an opera house successfully, and it is the aim, through the association, to secure systematic management and perfect harmony throughout the northwest.

John E. Williams, manager of the Oshkosh Opera House, acted as host, and following the meeting the members present were given a trolley ride about the city.

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DRAMATIC.

Stetson's Uncle Tom's Cabin goes under canvas May 3.

Miss May I. Fisk is writing a one act play for Mrs. Langtry.

Joseph Grismer has purchased Sky Farm from Charles Frohman.

The Hoosier Daisy Company closed a successful season April 27.

Felix Haney will star next season in When the Harvest Days Are Over.

Howard Hall's Man Who Dared Company closed at Camden, N. J., April 18.

The Ashley Rush Dramatic Company closed the season April 11 at Amarillo, Tex.

Harry Ainley will succeed Charles Richman as leading man of the Empire Stock company.

M. Aman Jean, the young French artist, has painted an excellent portrait of Maxine Elliott.

Lincoln J. Carter's Alaska closed the season May 2 at Cleveland, Ohio, after a very profitable tour.

Beryl Hope has secured a divorce from her husband, Wm. H. Wright, former manager of Bill Nye and James W. Riley.

Paul Gilmore will utilize another of John Drew's plays next season. He will appear in The Mummy and the Humming Bird.

Harry E. Jones resigned his position with the Vendome Stock Company of Nashville, Tenn., and returned to his home in New York City.

Joseph Haworth, Sydney Herbert, Miss Sitgreaves and Hattie Russell will retire from the cast of Resurrection when that play leaves New York for the road.

Charles Dillingham has purchased the dramatic rights to The Lady Paramount, by Henry Harland, and has secured Madalene L. Ryley to make the adaptation.

When Eleanora Duse returns to America next season she will present Betaille's version of The Resurrection, which is said to differ widely from Blanche Walsh's production.

Tangled Up in Beulah Land, adapted from Nym Crinkle's novel by Eugene Presbrey, will be staged by W. G. Smyth next fall. Minnie Dupree will portray the role of Polly.

Anna Irish has been advised to go abroad on account of ill health, and if she recuperates sufficiently, will be back in July to take part in a revival of Ben Hur at the New York Theatre.

Oscar Hammerstein's daughter, Stella, will be a chorus girl in Blanche Ring's new production. She has assumed the name of Mignon Steel. Her father is trying to persuade her to change her mind.

Henry Pearson, manager of Howard Hall's Man Who Dared Company the past season, is now connected with the Aborn Opera Company at Chase's Theatre, Washington, D. C., in a managerial capacity.

W. B. Watson has in preparation two new melodramas, Trinity Chimes and King of the

Above we publish a good portrait of Miss Marion March, leading lady of the Lyceum Comedy Company. She has held responsible positions with quite a number of repertoire companies, but for the past two seasons has been appearing with her own company. Possessed of a sweet voice, winning ways and a magnetic personality, she never fails to captivate her audiences. Her manager, Mr. Al. S. Evans, is now considering several offers from leading park managers for a summer stock season. It is rumored that Miss March will be seen in a leading one night production which is being written for her by a well known author, next season.

Coal Fields. In addition to these, he will put out several other new productions, whose nature has not been announced.

Clay Clement, who was disinherited by his father, Christian Griger, because he adopted the stage as a profession, recently sued his father's heirs for a share in the porperty, but accepted $12,500 in lieu of his claims.

The Ragged Hero Company closes the season at Buffalo, N. Y., May 23. Alf. Sprague, advance agent for the company, goes from Buffalo to Long Island to fill an engagement as high diver and expert swimmer.

Miss Flora Mitchell, who was badly burned by an explosion in her room while at Chicago, is now in a precarious condition at Marion, Ind. and is without funds. The News-Tribune, a Marion newspaper, is trying to raise a sum for her aid.

Charles Frohman's trip to London seems to have been made for the purpose of acquiring new plays. He has purchased A Great Lady, by Haddon Chambers, and a comedy by John Oliver Hobbes. George Broadhurst has received an offer from him for the English rights to A Fool and His Money.

Attorney Charles H. Culver has secured a divorce from his wife, who is known on the stage as Madeline Winthrop. He was opposed to her taking up dramatic work and recently when he called on her in Chicago she refused to recognize him. The divorce was secured without any difficulty in the Detroit, Mich., courts.

Thomas W. Hart, Fanny Davenport's nephew, is suing Melbourne MacDowell for the royalties which he claims are due him on the Sardou plays. He alleges that besides these royalties, which have not been paid for several weeks, he was to have received $150 a week during the production of the plays. The other side has not yet been heard from, but they are preparing for a battle royal in the courts.

During the performance of The Sword of the King at Nashville, Tenn., in the Masonic Theatre, Emma Field, who plays Prudence Emmett, set fire to some curtains, but through the timely action of Miss Crosman, who extinguished the flames with her hands, little damage was done. This was a close shave following right on the heels of the disastrous conflagration at Cincinnati.

The report that The Span of Life Company has closed the season and that the acrobats will join a tent show was erroneous. The Donazettas are the acrobats referred to, and Lewis Donazetta writes that his time will be entirely taken up this summer directing the building of the scenery and booking for a new attraction. His new musical and pantomime comedy entitled "A Strange Voyage" will open August 29 at Woonsocket, R. I.

David M. Hartford, Roy Atwell, Louis Albion and Maribel Seymour will sever their connections with the Empire Stock company of Toledo, O., to accept positions for the summer. Mr. Hartford and Miss Seymour will join a summer company at Cook's Theatre, Rochester, N. Y., and Albion and Atwell will be members of the Empire Stock Company being organized at Columbus. Manager Lake Wells has secured Ben Graham for Atwell's place and is negotiating with Joseph Daly to occupy the vacancy caused by Mr. Albion's resignation.

PLAYHOUSES.

A new theatre, to cost $40,000, will be built at Red Wing, Minn.

Dickson & Talbot have leased the Pythian Opera House at Terre Haute, Ind., for ten years.

The management of the new Colonial Theatre at Pittsfield, Mass. has contracted for 800 Abbey chairs to be used on the ground floor of the theatre.

D. C. Wiggins & Bro. have leased the Grand Opera House at Paris, Ky., for three years, commencing August 1. They are also negotiating for the lease of the Winchester (Ky.) Opera House.

The theatre at Frankfort, Ind., which was destroyed by fire on the night of Febuary, 8, will not be rebuilt. J. J. Aybe who managed the house for seventeen years, previous to the fire, is seeking a position on the road.

Manager A. J. Small will erect a new opera house at Toronto, Canada, to take the place of the Toronto, which was destroyed by fire. The seating capacity will be 2,000 and the building is to be ready next August.

Natchez, Miss., is to have a new opera house. The first brick of the new structure was laid recently with some ceremony by Mrs. E. M. Clarke, wife of the senior member of the firm Clarke and Gardner, who will own and manage the new theatre.

W. G. Gilger has awarded the contract for the building of a new theatre at Norwalk, O., and the house will be ready for opening the first of September. The seating capacity will be 900. Gilger will manage the house himself when it is completed.

The Opera House at Laramie, Wyo., under the management of H. E. Root, is being remodeled. It will have a seating capacity of 780; the stage will be 42x70, and 400 new Opera chairs will be installed. Boxes at either side of the stage will be put in and the floor inclined.. It will be ready to open by September 1.

MUSIC AND MUSICIANS.

The Foxy Quiller Company stranded in Chicago, April 25, with salaries unpaid.

Sousa's Band will tour Germany, France, Belgium and Russia, during its present European visit.

George Bowles has resigned the business management of The Chaperons and will join the Barnum and Bailey press staff.

William Norris will be leading comedian in The Babes of Toyland which Fred Hamlin will produce in Chicago this summer.

Miss Queenie LaRoi has left the Prince of Pilsen company to go to Cape Nome, Alaska, where she will wed the man of her choice.

A guarantee fund is being raised by prominent citizens of Minneapolis, Minn. for the purpose of establishing a permanent orchestra in that city.

Clyde Fitch's new musical play, The Infant Prodigy, will be used by Fay Templeton as a starring vehicle under the management of Shubert Bros.

Tony Mason, manager of Fiddle-Dee-Dee, who was compelled to retire on account of illness, is much improved. He will not rejoin the company this season

Louise Ormsby recently made her debut on the operatic stage as Marguerite in Faust, at the Camden Theatre, London, England. She is a Michigan production.

Henry B. Harris has engaged Theodore Bendict, musical director of Anna Held's company, to act in the same capacity at the Hudson Theatre, New York City.

J. Leslie Spahn, manager of Helen May Butler's Ladies' Military Band, is about to close a deal to go to Texas for three months under the Independent Opera House Circuit.

John Schroers has resigned from the presidency of the Choral-Symphony Orchestra at St. Louis, Mo. The members of the boards are now looking for some one to take Mr. Schroers' place.

MINSTRELS.

Charles Limblade and C. McGuire have signed with Beach & Bower's Minstrels to go in advance next season.

L. M. Boyer, manager and proprietor of the Who, What, When Minstrels, is making his headquarters at the offices of Hennegan & Co., Cincinnati, Ohio. Mr. Boyer wants to buy more cars. He is making arrangements to put a No. 2 show on the road next season.

VAUDEVILLE.

Thomas J. Mack has been engaged as stage manager with Duncan Clark's Lady Minstrels.

Bud Hawes has taken the management of Happy Harry Lynn, the Big-Headed Boy, and opened April 20, at Benton Harbor, Mich. He will play store rooms.

Jessie Mae Hall, former wife of Mark E. Swan, the playwright, has retired from vaudeville and will in the future devote her time to a 200-acre pineapple farm in Florida.

FARCE COMEDY.

John Mylie has been re-engaged as a feature with Jules Walter's Side Tracked Company next season.

Richard Walton Tully's three act farce, A Strenuous Life, has been purchased by Liebler & Co., who intend producing same next season.

George Cohan is meeting with great success in the rendition of his new song entitled, If I Was Only J. P. Morgan, which he wrote especially for his new production, Running for Office.

J. J. Rosenthal has resigned the business management of Ezra Kendall and will direct the tour of Kathryn Osterman in her new play. He will also look after the business of Eva Williams and Jack Tucker in Mollie Darling.

Dan and Chas. A. Mason the pleasing exponents of German Comedy have just concluded their second successful starring tour in the title role of Rudolph and Adolph as presented under the management of that enterprising firm of amusement purveyors. Broadhurst & Currie. A diligent statistician is Chas. T. the junior member of the Masons who, though bearing the same family name are not related to each other, and he has kept a careful record of the number of the cities visited, performances given, and miles traveled since the first production of the comedy. The result to the uninitiated reads like an exaggeration, but the accuracy of the following is vouched for by all concerned. When the curtain fell at the Auditorium in Philadelphia, Saturday night, April 25th, Rudolph and Adolph had been played 596 times, 266 of these performances were given this season and 330 of them occured the preceeding year. 135 cities were visited and 23,786 miles were covered against 17,196 miles this year, the whole mileage totaling 41,582 miles.

Above is a good likeness of Mr. W. G. Rozell, manager of Crawford's Vaudeville Stars. He was born in Poughkeepsie, N. Y., Jan. 25, 1869 and his first professional appearance was with Healy's Florida Museum in 1878. Last season he was the feature with the Myrkle and Harder Company, introducing his comedy musical act. He has played all the leading houses in this country and Europe and is known as Rozelle, The Tramp Musician.

BURLESQUE.

Al. Reeves has signed contracts with a number of European artists for next year. They have never before appeared in this country and he refuses to disclose their character.

Louis Robie, manager of the Knickerbockers, will have a new act on the bills next season. He will present The Misses Clyde Darrow and Aileene Vincent, a new sister team, assisted by chorus of sixteen, in the Knickerbocker Cadets, showing the manoeuvres of troupe of New York guards. New music has been written for the act.

ODDS AND ENDS.

A benefit performance will be given at Austin, Tex., May 2, for Earl B. Walker, treasurer of the Hancock Opera House.

Mrs. H. C. Miner, well known to professionals as Annie O'Neill, is soon to be married to a Dr. Allen M. Thomas, of New York City. Her first husband died about three years ago.

George Donahue, of the Marie Fountain Theatre Company, and Mrs. Thomas Wiedemann and child of the Wiedemann Big Show are spending the summer in Madison, Indiana, with their respective families.

Aiden Benedict can go a horse on Horace Greeley for forgetfulness. Two weeks after he had cancelled Winchester, Pa., his Thelma company arrived there to play their date. Mr. Benedict had not notified his traveling manager of the cancellation of the date.

The M. W. Taylor Amusement Company was recently incorporated with a capital stock of $25,000 at Trenton, N. J. The organizers are M. W. Taylor, of the Camden Theatre, at Camden, N. J., J. H. Irwin, of Camden, and T. Wardell Taylor, of Narberth, Pa.

A subscription performance will be given in Cincinnati, Friday of this week, at the Grand Opera House, for the benefit of J. R. Hawley, the veteran newsdealer. Mr. Hawley enjoys a large acquaintance among professional people, his news-store having been their rendezvous in Cincinnati for many years. He is now in poor health and the benefit, was planned and is being executed by the friends who wish by this means to contribute to his comfort.

S. S. Underwood has closed his engagement as stage manager and billposter for Todd's Theatre at Dunkirk, Ind., and returned to his home at Pennville, Ind., where he will spend the summer. Mr. Underwood will again do advance work next season and has some good offers from several first class managers.

FOREIGN.

Maeterlinck's Mounn Vanna has passed its 100th performance at the Deutsches Theatre, Berlin, Germany.

Maurice Bouiface's Claresse Arbois, a three-act comedy, has failed to score at the Renaissance, Paris, although Mlle. Brandes takes the leading part. Anatole France's Crainquebille, a one-act sketch on the same bill, is making a hit.

TENT SHOWS
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OPENING OF FOREPAUGH AND SELLS BROS.' ENORMOUS SHOWS.

The Twentieth Century Colossus threw its banners to the breeze at St. Louis, April 20. Dating from the first season of Adam Forepaugh, the season just inaugurated marks its fortieth annual tour. It was a real opening under canvas duly spread on the greensward.

While openings in buildings have many advantages that cannot be gainsaid, they never will appear as natural, regular, seemly and commendable as an opening out doors. The snow-white canvas, the newly painted seats and poles, the fresh, bright flags, are all in a way as welcome and gladsome as spring flowers. The very air you breathe under a canvas seems fresher and more bracing. The music is gayer and the performance has more "go"; for after all is said, a circus was designed to be given under a tent..

The Forepaugh and Sells Bros. Shows occupied the lot at Laclede and Vandeventer Avenues. The day opened bright and clear.. The parade was given under the most favorable circumstances. The sunshine lit up the gold and vermilion gaily, and made the armor and spangles shimmer brilliantly. Thousands of spectators all along the line of march received it with every demonstration of approval. It is not essentially different from last season. The elephants are placed well forward and the mounted people are grouped differently. Otherwise it is about the same as last year's pageant.

The menagerie consists of a 130ft. round top, with four fifty-foot middle pieces. 23 cages and open dens are arranged in the conventional manner. The center is given over to a long line of elephants, while the camels, led stock, ostriches, etc., are railed off, occupying a lower stretch on the side. There are no important changes in this department. It is a counterpart of the excellent exhibit which the show carried last year.

The weather clouded up and grew threatening shortly after noon, and it affected the attendance. Nevertheless, a house of goodly size assembled to witness the first performance, and it was very liberal with its applause. The show is much better "put on" than last year. Edw. Shipp has worked wonders in this respect. The show is better balanced and the arrangement decidedly improved. The property men are garbed in neutral kaki. The choice of the color is an inspiration. It is without doubt the most unobtrusive shade obtainable in textiles..

The object holders are uniformed in blue and scarlet, and brighten up the arena greatly.

The performance opens with the tournament. It is unchanged from last year's in point of general makeup. Display No. 2, is an exhibition of ladder, perch, bar and rope acts.

Display No. 3, is given over to the elephants. Between numbers a performing bear act and a clown chorus are worked in with rather good effect. Display No. 4, is a feature number devoted to the "leaps." Display No. 5, is devoted to the lady riders. Mrs. Stickney and Miss Ryland occupy the end rings, while Mrs. Shipp and Miss Lowande ride opposite to one another in the center. Display No. 6, is a pot-pourri of varied acts all well renderd.

Display No. 7, is a feature number devoted to exceptionally good exhibition of menage riding.

Display No. 8, is devoted to ground acts. The Eddy Family carry off the honors, although the La Monts and the DeBaus are also watched with interest, and the St. Leons, too, are clever.

Display No. 9, fills the rings with male jockey riders. Messrs. Cecil, Oscar and Marthius Lowande all ride excellently and finish in the center ring on one horse..

Display No. 10 features Starr in his sensational dash down a ladder on a bicycle. It warms the house up.

Display No. 11 introduces Mrs. Lowande, Mrs. Stickney and Miss St. Leon in exhibitions of hurdle riding all well done.

Display No. 12 is a feature number given over to the Aurora Zouaves. This act arouses much enthusiasm.

Display No. 13 is also a heavy feature act of which the La Monts on the high wire and the Jackson Family, bicycle experts, divide the honors.

Display No. 14 is devoted to male principal riding acts which are clowned by 23 jesters.

Display No. 15, Minting, the marvel, great.

Display No. 16, Ryan Troupe in a big heavy aerial act on a complicated rigging. It promises to be great when it moves smoothly. One of the principal performers was out of the act at the opening, and it was consequently seen at a disadvantage.

Display No. 17 consists of three carrying acts well dressed and well ridden.

Display No. 18 is the "Cycle Whirl."

Then comes the Hippodrome, closed by the greatest of all sensational and thrilling acts, the famous Loop-the-Loop.

Lack of space forbids as comprehensive and complete a review of the performance as we would like to give. Briefly, however, it is a splendid performance. The one thing which differentiates it most from the entertainment of the other big shows is the preponderance of big heavy acts. The entertainment starts off slowly and easily, but it grows. Before it is half over the audience is enthused and from then on to the close one big massive act succeeds another with such rapid and bewildering succession that the ordinary house is swept along in a tumult of applause and thrills to the crowning and last feature of the performance, the Loop-the-Loop. This sends them out dumbfounded and shaking.

The big top is a two hundred and ten foot round top with four sixties. In addition to the regular side show, Messrs. Sells Bros.' carry a platform show.

The show is larger in every way than last year. The menagerie has been augmented, the tents are larger and the seating capacity greatly increased, even more cars than last season are necessary to transport it.

Enough of the features were seen at the first performance to demonstrate that the show, when it gets to going will be very fine. The following is the program.

C. H. Sweeney, Equestrian Director; C. E. Bronson, Musical Director.

Display No. 1. Brilliant Introductory Pageant. A Kaleidescope Panorama of Regal Magnificence completely filling the Rings, Stages and immense Hippodrome Course.

Display No. 2. The Dellameads, huge revolving Pedestal of history and art, presenting eight lovely ladies of faultless form in chaste and perfect living fac similies of Master Marble Groups, Famous Pictures and Great Historical Events. A Superb Series of Animated Triumphs, in which Imitation surpasses Reality.

Display No. 3. A Topical Song of the Times, by Mr. Lon Moore, assisted by his merry associates.

Display No. 4. Kings of the Aerial Bars, performing feats of skill, The Livingstons. Japanese Slide Rope, Okabe Sacha. Japanese Slide Rope, Si Kechi.

Display No 5. Trained Elephants, Ding Dong and Hazel performed by Mme Herkenrath. Marvelous display of Brute intelligence; performing Elephant, Pony, Boar-hound and Monkey, positively first appearance in America. Trained and performed by Herr Herkenrath. Prof. Lew Sunlin and his highly educated Bull.

Display No. 6. Oriental display of perfect equilibrium on the high wire, Hodura Kawara. The Nevaros novelty acrobatic act. The immutable laws of nature and gravitation absolutely defied in a wonderful and intricate ascent up a slender spiral while enclosed in a rolling globe. Belle Norada French.

Display No. 7. Talented principal dancing and statuesque bareback equestrianism, Miss Blanche Reed. A meeting of the greatest jesters in the world. Dashing and bewildering principal bareback riding, Miss Winnie Sweeney.

Display No. 8. The World Renowned Stirk Family, greatest troupe of bicyclists on earth.

Display No. 9. High school exhibition of animal sagacity. Miss Allie Jackson. Beautiful high school menage act, introducing Madame Antoinette and the lightest jumping horse in the world. An exhibition of animal intellectuality introduced by Miss Belle Clark.

Display No. 10. The Great Wallace Shows latest importation, The Four Colins, world's greatest eccentric whirlwind dancers.

Display No. 11. Principal Bareback Somersault Event. Orin Hollis. Mirth and merriment by the Happy Knight of Momus. Principal Bareback Somersault Riding exploits by Harry Tambkins.

Display No. 12. A highly interesting exhibit of brute intelligence by Mr. Owen Hungen, introducing his marvelous performing seals and Sea Lions.

Display No. 13. Graceful and difficult feats in the flying trapeze. Celebrated Earl Sisters. The Great Ferris Wheel Trapeze, introducing the Mid-Air Marvels, Vortex Sisters. Flying Rings, Emma Donovan. Single Trapeze, Minnie Pierce.

Display No. 14. The Four Silvertons. The World's Greatest Wire Artists, introducing feats never before attempted by any other artists.

Display No. 15. The Flying Alberts, a family of the most intrepid and talented Aerialists in conjointly beautiful and electrifying illustrations.

Display No. 16. Apollo, King of the bounding wire. The far famed Nelsons, comedy acrobats. Only act of the kind on earth. 4 Nelsons Comiques. Double Perch, Sigimoto's Japs.

Display No. 17. Artistic, graceful and new double trotting act, Orrin Hollis and Blanche Reed. Posturing Act, Takezawas Japs. Artistic, graceful and new double trotting act, Harry Tambkins, Winnie Sweeney.

Display No. 18. The World's undisputed premier acrobats. The most Wonderful Acrobatic Act in existence, introducing ladies and gentlemen in full evening dress, executing the most intricate and difficult feats ever attempted. The Heras Family.

Display No. 19. The Marion Indiana Zouaves. The champion drill company of the world. Captain Ernest Phillips.

Display No. 20. Comical mule hurdle, William Henchey. Comedy skating act, Six Funny Fools. Comical Duch hurdle act on a mule, Harry Higgins.

The performance is closed with the conventional hippodrome, with 14 different and distinct races.

It rained so hard on the opening day that the parade could not be put out. None of the new wardrobe and costumes, said to be very fine, was used.

JOHN ROBINSON'S OPENING.

Seventy-Eighth Annual Tour Inaugurated at Louisville, Kentucky.

For the second time in its history the John Robinson Ten Big Shows Combined opened away from home this season.

The opening took place at Louisville, Ky., in the Horse Show Building on April 22.

The parade which preceded the inaugural performance was very pretentious. From the first big band chariot, drawn by sixteen coal-black horses, with white enamel trappings, down to the calliope, it was distinctly the pageant of a successful and firmly esatblished show.

It was viewed by thousands of enthusiastic spectators who notwithstanding the bleak weather afterwards filled the large building to witness the performance.

As in former seasons the entertainment opens with the spectacle, King Solomon and the Queen of Sheba, more handsomely costumed than ever, and with a ballet that surpasses anything done before by this show which for so many years made it a feature.

Space will not permit a specific criticism of the acts which are put on by the following people:

Murphy and Duvall, The Steiner Brothers, Horace Webb, Geo. Holland, Al. Johnson and his donkey, Frank Miller in his jockey and carrying act, Effie Dutton, the Lamonts, Miss Le Barron, Brooks and Stalford, Miss Geneva Morgan, Scott Ruth, The Alpine Sisters, Charlie Arnold, W. G. Langly, Rowenna, Ed Musnee, Fred Leslie's trained sheep and pigs, Wm. De Mott, Miss Sadie Judge, Miss Winnie Vasiak, Prof. Winston's performing seals, Captain Adair, Spaulding Brothers, Miss Duffy, Miss Rose Dockrill, Frankie Jones, Millie Van, Lucifer Brothers, "Rosse," the Robinson herd of performing elephants and "Mephisto" with his daring loop-the-loop in an automobile.

The hippodrome races were above the average but to enumerate the entire list would require too much space.

There is really not a poor act in the whole performance. Those that are best remembered as being particularly good are Wm. De Mott's riding and Horace Molin's Loop-the-Loop.

Business was big throughout the three days of the shows stay in Louisville.

The show opened in Norwood, a suburb of Cincinnati, O., Monday, April 27, under an almost entire new spread of canvas, making a very pretty appearance. The horse tent is also well filled with the best stock the "governor" can procure, while the wagons are all newly painted and trimmed.

The Robinson Show is a favorite with the Cincinnati people. This is one instance wherein the old adage "a prophet is not without honor, save in his own country" does not hold good, Generation after generation of Cincinnati people have witnessed the show in its home city. They have watched its growth and rejoiced therein.

It enjoys great prestige, moreover, among show people, the knowing ones, and this year they will realize that the press agent does not err when he says that it is "bigger and better than ever."

HARGREAVE'S OPENS.

Hargreave's Big Railroad Shows had a very auspicious opening in Chester, Pa., on Saturday, April 18th. At both performances the tents were crowded; at night the crowd being so dense that the people were jammed up to the ring bank, compelling the management to cut out the hippodrome races. The show gave immense satisfaction and the universal opinion is that it is in for a long and prosperous season.

The performers in the circus include Robert Stickney, principal bareback and hurdle rider; Louis De Mott, Menage Act; Fred Locke with a large herd of educated horses; Effel Trio, in a Big Aerial Act; The Le Vanns, Acrobats; Lessier, Aerial Perch; Emma Snyder, Swinging Trapeze; Hughey Dougherty, Triple Somersault leaper; Mabel Hall, introducing the trained elephant, Columbus; John Rheettenback, trained, lions; Hal Mayberry Roman standing rider; Ed. Goodrich, performing ponies; Jim Goodrich, with a troupe of performing dogs; The Brothers Gilmore, in Acrobatic feats; Snoos Family, acrobats; John Lancaster, principal talking clown; Vincent Harrig, Rube Ryan, Jim McVeite, Lou Davis and Rainey Clowns. There are also a number of performers for the hippodrome races. Harry Smith has charge of the elephant which is billed as the biggest elephant in the world, and he fills the bill. The Circus requires sixteen cars to transport it and a decided novelty is that all of the box and sleeping cars are painted in a beautiful manner. On a background of white beautiful pictures are painted, making the train look as bright and brilliant as parade stuff. The flat-cars are also painted white.

The Side Show is also handsome. It makes a flash on the lot. It is under the management of B. L. Bowman, who has Jack Manley as assistant manager. The company includes Prof. Stumm with a ladies band of twelve pieces They are attired in bright uniforms. The company includes Edith Arnold, Contralto vocalist; Mildrede Forrest, sensational dancer; Adams and Jury, musical artists; Vi Gleason, Baton manipulator; Barton, Magic and Punch; Nano De Matto (snake Enchantress):; Mitchell and Stevens, female pugilists; Harry and Ruth Orville, miniature theatre; Agnes, mind reader and second sight; Mabel Hall, with a den of performing leopards; Cooke and Clout, song and dance men, and Stills and Warts, Irish comedians. There are four cages of animals in the tent and a number of cages of birds and small animals. The Side Show did an enormous business on the opening day in Chester.

CIRCUS GOSSIP.

Lemen Bros., are making a bee line for Canada.

D. Harrison is doing four men's work with the Forepaugh Wild West.

Tom Ford has got that other badge and reigns again as the king wearer of decorations.

Bill Merrick's band is a real circus band. It has volume enough and to spare.

All of Mollie Bailey's new tents were burned in the depot fire at Morgan, Tex., April 16.

Damon and Pyllias (Ed Burk and Al McPhail) attended the Forepaugh-Sells Bros. opening at St. Louis.

Busby Brothers opened the season at Shelbyville, Ill., to good business. The weather was fair but rather cold.

Diavolo, who loops-the-loop with the Forepaugh-Sells Brothers Shows, is reported so badly injured that he cannot live.

The team of Dawson and Booth have closed with J. H. Morgan's Vaudeville Circus and John Gentry Brothers' No. 1 Show at Vincennes, Ind., April 25.

George Connors has gathered together a good side show for the Forepaugh & Sells Bros. this season. W. H. McFarland is managing the number two side show.

H. W. ("Chief") Wakefield, who assisted John Talbot, adjuster of the great Wallace Shows last season, has signed with the John Robinson 10 Big Shows in the same capacity.

THE GREAT WALLACE SHOW

Opens the Season at Peru, Ind., April 25.

The great Wallace Show opened its annual season at Peru, Ind., Saturday, April 25. It rained and in consequence of the inclement weather the initial prformance was given under many disadvantages. A review of the performance, under the circumstances would be unfair. The first show is in no sense a criterion of what this sterling attraction will offer under favorable conditions.

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GEO. TAYLOR, 97 Cliff Street, New York.

Sun Brothers' Shows encountered a streak of ill-luck at Hampton, Va., April 17. The pet monkey died, the trick donkey passed away and within twelve hours was followed by the pet leopard.

The Mexican Zamora Family, aerialists, are practicing a new act at the winter quarters of the Charles Lartine R. R. Shows. They will be featured with that show the coming season which opens May 14.

Following is the roster of opposition car No. 2, Ringling Bros. Shows:—Al. C. Abbott, agent; Claude Long, Wm. Delly, John Logan, C. G. Henry, Orring Stevens, Foster McLeod, Al. Hunt, W. T. Gause and Leon Reeves.

Joe Epstein, manager of the company of dancing girls with the Wallace Shows last season, lately became the father of a girl. He has signed with the Younger-James Wild West with his company of dancers and sword experts.

The beautiful brand-new, snow-white spread of canvas of the Wallace Shows excited much comment and admiration at Peru, on the opening date. Mr. Wallace contracted for it last November so as to be sure to have it in time.

F. W. Brooks, formerly manager of the Great Helms, magician, has signed with Burns & Co's R. R. Shows as agent and contractor. The show opens May 9 at Chippewa Falls, Wis., with an entire new outfit, traveling in its own special cars.

Harrry Semon not only routes and manages the advance of the Forepaugh Wildwest but is rendering invaluable service back of it. He organized the show, framed the program and is actually filling the position of equestrian director.

Col. Chas. Seeley looking as fit as a four-year-old is managing the privileges for the Forepaugh-Sells shows. This is Col. Seeley's fifty-sixth season in this capacity and Charley Thomson says he was an old man when he first went into the business.

Items from Captain Stewart's Big R. R. Shows:—We are all ready for our opening in Ft. Wayne, Ind., April 21, for a weeks' stand. Nearly all our people have arrived. Prof. Ehrmann's band will furnish the music. Our cars are very handsomely decorated.

The roster of car No. 1, The Wallace Shows, follows:—W. A. Peterson, agent; J. E. Cole, boss billposter; C. B. Bowen, lithographer; Joe Horton and Ben Horton, billposters; Tom Conrad, boards; S. H. List, programmer. The entire crew have their application for membership in the N. A. B. & B. of A.

Roster of advertising car of the Harris Nickel Plate Show:—C. D. McIntyre, car manager and general contracting agent; Wm. Glasby, in charge of paper with the following assistants: Wm. Smith, Tod McDaniel, C. P. Killian, W. L. Grimth; O. T. Moore, lithographer; Richard Bowles, programmer, and Walter Bauer.

Prof. Lowery has gotten his customary good side show band together again this year. It is the feature of the Forepaugh & Sells side show. Lowery makes negro musicians play like they sing. Wild and untrained but with a peculiar charm that one seeks for in vain among skilled musicians.

Notes from Miles-Orton Shows:—We are still in Tennessee and doing fine business. Have just received our new 80 foot top with two forty foot middle pieces. We are heading for the northwest. J. Brown and wife joined at Savannah, Ga., recently, to take charge of the side show and concert. Prof. Henry Snyder has charge of the band.

The title page of the "Journalist," of April 11, a newspaper magazine published in New York City, is adorned with the likeness of Mr. Joseph Mayer, the well-known advertising man of the Barnum & Bailey, Pawnee Bill, Forepaugh-Sells, and Ringling Brothers' programs. A very comprehensive sketch of Mr. Mayer's life is given below the picture.

The executive staff of the Forepaugh-Sells shows is as follows: Peter Sells, general director; Lewis Sells, general manager; Allen Sells, assistant general manager; C. M. Thomson, business manager; Ernest Cook and E. L. Evans, associate managers; W. F. Spaeth, treasurer; John Murray, treasurer of privileges; W. C. Boyd, general agent; Allen McPhail, railroad contractor.

Through the courtesy of John G. Robinson, all the orphans of Louisville, Ky., were invited to attend one of the performances. That the little ones were gratified would be putting it mildly. The show also gave a benefit on the 23rd for the Louisville Artillery Battalion, enabling them to make their trip to the World's Fair as representatives of the city of Louisville and the state of Kentucky.

Follows the roster of No. 1 Car of the Younger-James Wild West.—D. P. Phillips, press agent; H. L. Barnes, secretary; Jas. Snyder, boss billposter, with W. Walters, George Lawson, R. Risk, Charles Thompson, Charles Murry, Charles Klapman, John Feltus, James Johnson, James McDonald, Edw. Hadason, John Miller, Jas. Tyler and Wm. Ireton as assistants; James Beasant and Wm. Noonan, lithographers; Ed. Woods, programmer; C. Wischman, pastemaker.

Follows the roster of the "Golden Nugget," or No. 1 car of the Barnum & Bailey Greatest Show on Earth:—H. C. Hedges, car manager; Oliver Lester, in charge of paper; D. J. Sweeney, in charge of lithographs, assisted by Steve Dwyer; W. B. Hammer, E. B. Hubbard, G. C. Fuller, in charge of boards; Chas. Venable, assistant; Wm. Rose, Jos. Currie, Joe Fitzgerald, John "Kid" Sharp, Harry Cook, Harry Edwards, George Hall, Elmer A. Day, Dave Wylie, Ed. Jones; Milton A. Baker, programmer; Clarence Herbert, chef; Roger Riley, assistant chef; Duke Burke, porter; all the men on the car are members of the union.

R. C. Campbell writes as follows:—The Ringling Bros., have done the most phenominal business here in Chicago ever known. Beginning with Wednesday, April 15, they turned them away that night, then Thursday, 16, and Friday, 17, Saturday matinee and night the 18, Sunday afternoon and night the 19, Monday Tuesday and Wednesday, 20-21-22, and they are now sold out or nearly so for tonight, Thursday, Friday and Saturday. Never before in the history of circus business was there a turn away on a Sunday afternoon and night or a Monday night by any show in Chicago. They could have stayed another week and done $60,000.00 quite easy.

Following is a complete roster of the Walter L. Main Shows:—Advance—Ed. C. Knupp, General Agent; W. W. Power, Special Agent; John D. Carey, Contracting Press Agent; Harry Anderson, Contracting agent; W. K. Peck, Manager Advertising Car No. 1; Geo. R. Beckley, Manager of Advertising Car No. 2; Walter Murphy, Manager Opposition Brigade No. 1; Ernest Waters, Manager Opposition Brigade No. 2. Executive Staff—James Anderson, Manager; Dr. C. M. Stull, Supt. Labor, Parade and Forage; D. J. Fitzgerald, Assistant Manager; Owen W. Doud, Private Secretary; Hugh Harrison, Manager Vaudeville Entertainment, Annex and all Privileges; Don McKenzie, Auditor; R. H. Dockrill, Equestrian Director; Capt. P. J. Visser, Supt. Spectacle; Robert Clements, Purchasing Agent and Assistant Superintendent; Tom L. Wilson, Press Agent; John Gill, Musical Director; George Corcoran, 24 hour Agent; A. D. Moreland, Manager of Dining Tent; Wm. Elliott Supt. of Refreshments; Dan Taylor, Master Mechanic; Mrs. D. Taylor, Supt. of Wardrobe; Mrs. Della Wernitz, Assistant Supt. of Wardrobe; William Winner, Supt. of Menagerie; Richard Jones, Supt. of Elephants; James Whalen, Supt. of Canvas; W. W. Scott, Supt. of Stock; George R. Murray, Boss Propertyman; George Day, Supt. of Transportation; Henry Pullman, Leader of Parade and Supt. Annex Door; John F. Case, in Charge of Dining Car; Al. Pancost, in Charge of Winter Quarters; A. J. Trunkey, Attorney.

LOS ANGELES, CAL.

Los Angeles Theatre (H. C. Wyatt, Lessee and Mgr.) Kate Claxton in The Two Orphans, closed a very successful engagement April 19. On April 20 a society vaudeville benefit for the new Franciscan Church is announced. Remainder of week house will be dark.

Burbank Theatre (Oliver Morosco, Lessee and Mgr.) With the close of Ralph Stuart's stock company's success, Florence Roberts who is a great favorite here commences a four week's engagement. Miss Roberts is supported by a strong company and the play selected for the first week is The Unwelcome Mrs. Hatch, to good houses.

Orpheum (Clarence Drown, Mgr.) This week's bill is rich in entertaining short sketches. A Salt Cellar, which Miss Lillian Burkhart presents for this her third and last week is well received. A special Burkhart souvenir matinee will be given Thursday at which she will put on an entirely new play. Hooked by Crook, which the Mason-Kellar put on, is very laughable. Gardner and Vincent make a hit in their sketch. New features are La Fleurdaring, tumbler; McCue and Cahill, vocalists; Esther Lee, the violinist; Kronan's Trio, and the Beaux and Belles octet to the usual crowds.

Chutes Park and Theatre (Henry Koch, Mgr.) In the free theatre Sibyl Collins Carpenter is the headliner; Harry Williams and Frank Bryant from the Finnegan 400. Other performers are Nell Montgomery, child contralto; and Jeannette Green, soprano. Outdoor attractions are Madame Schell's Trained Lions; Edward Dudley's famous balloon ascension and trick parachute drop, and Albert Girard who coasts the Chutes on a bicycle. T. W. F.

LOUISVILLE, KY.

Auditorium (D. Quilp, Mgr.) The Pittsburg Orchestra, 27. With three performances, the sale is large.

Macauley's (John T. Macauley, Mgr.) Julia Marlowe, four performances, commencing 23, good houses the rule. Next, Romeo and Juliet.

Avenue (C. A. Shaw, Mgr.) Human Hearts, drew packed houses. Week 26, The Gambler's Daughter.

Buckingham (Whalen Bros., Mgrs.) Al. Reeve's Big Show drew packed houses all the week by presenting an exceptional bill. For week of 26, Fred Irwin's Majestics.

Hopkins' (John D. Hopkins, Mgr.) Clay Clement and Co., were the headliners, followed by a fine list.

Horse Show Bldg.—April 22-25, John Robinson's Circus.

Music Hall (Boyd Wilson, Mgr.) Apr. 23, Confederate Spy, (local).

NOTES.

Billy Robinson will have his own show out this season, opening in July.

Miss Alma Storey has just returned home after a season on the road.

Five Fords, Club experts, will be tendered a benefit on Apr. 2, at Music Hall.

Mr. Oscar De Lang and his musical act will play Parks, during the summer season.

There is some hopes that the Zoo will open this summer, as Louisville is without a summer resort. J. SCHALLCROSS.

MONTREAL, CAN.

Academy of Music, (W. A. Edwards, Mgr.) April 20, David Harum played all week to good houses. They close the season here. Coming, April 27, The Gordon-Shay Grand Opera Company May 6-7, Aladin and the Wonderful Lamp. Ameatuer performance for aid of South African Memorial Fund.

Theatre Troncais (W. A. Edwards, Mgr.) April 20, Lewis Morrison in Faust, drew large audiences all week. Coming, April 27, A Desperate Chance; May 11, Robt. B. Mantell in The Dagger and the Cross.

Theatre Royal, (W. A. Edwards, Mgr.) Apr. 20. The Vanity Fair Company to packed houses. They give a good variety entertainment Coming, April 27, Kidnapped in New York.

Sollner Park, (Ernest Langer, Prop.) Variety and musical entertainment.

NOTES.

Robert Mansfield will present Julius Caesar in Montreal June 12 and 13.

The Metropolitan Opera House orchestra with Mme. Nordica, De Reszke and Duss will give a performance in the Arena Skating Rink May 27.

WASHINGTON, D. C.

Lafayette—James K. Hackett in The Crisis is entertaining big houses. April 20, The Berger Stock Company will commence its indefinite run. First week, Diplomacy will be produced.

National.—When Johnny Comes Marching Home, is doing good business. Week of April 20, Mabelle Gilman, in The Mocking Bird.

Columbia—Alice Fischer in Mrs. Jack, to fair business. April 20, De Wolf Hopper.

Chases.—Mr. Rawson gave the audience a lesson in boomerang throwing. McIntyre & Heath made good with their turn. Nat Willis, tramp monologue, and others. Week of April 20, The Jolly Musketeer.

Academy—A Desperate Chance is drawing good houses. Week of April 20, The Heart of Maryland.

The Empire—The Smart Set in an operatic extravaganza entitled Southern Enchantment is drawing big houses. Week of April 20, Avery & Hart in The Sons of Ham.

Kernan's—A good show from start to finish is what you see when you visit The Utopian Burlesquers. M. H. GAFF.

ATLANTIC CITY, N. J.—The spring rush is now on and thousands of visitors are here in advance of the big summer rush and as the bathing season opens here early in May. Young's Pier the past week Adeline Herman and her company, Holden's trained animals, Gianninis' Marine Band and Basket Ball Cake walking pleased big crowds daily.

The Steel Pier, Band Voncert Basket Ball Dances etc. to big business.

Tilyou's Pier, large crowds at all times with a big list of attractions.

The Old Mill Moorish Maze, Laughing Gallery Dream World, Carousel, Galloping Horses, Loop the Loop, Switch Back and Miniature railroad, Roving Frank's Gypsy Village, all are doing fine and several novelties in the amusement line will be open by May 1 and from the present indications this will be the biggest season on record. FRANK. B. HUBIN.

HAGERSTOWN, MD.—Kee Mar Auditorium, (Prof. Kershiner, Mgr.) The Sunday Concerts here have proven very satisfactory and drawing capacity houses.

Academy of Music, (Col. C. M. Futterer, Mgr. and Lessee.) Miss Alberta Gallatin in As You Like It to a medium sized auidence. 17, Aiden Benedict's Thelma to a large audience. Coming: 24, The Tide of Life; 29, The Kilties.

GLEANINGS.

The Elks have decided to abandon the project of erecting a theatre.

Mr. Oscar Hennegy, who was spending a week at his home in Hagerstown, has left for Chicago W. D. VAN VOLKENBERG.

BRIDGETON, N. J.—The Criterion (Ed. B. Moore, Mgr.) The Garside, Condit & Mack Stock Co., resumed their engagement April 17, after laying off two days on account of the death of Mr. Sie Condit's wife, in The Two Orphans, to large houses. Coming, Apr. 22, Adelaide Fitz-Allen in the Duchess of Devonshire; 23, The Ludlam School of Dramatic Art, in Dandy Dick; 25, Matinee and night, Winchester; 28, Herbert Kelcey & Effie Shannon, in Sherlock Holmes; 30, Columbia Institute, Blind Concert; May 1, Are You A Mason?; 2, Foxy Grandpa. H. A. BOWEN.

BOONVILLE, MO.—Stephens Opera House (Stephens & Hickman, Mgrs.) The Ewing-Taylor Combination, 13-18, with a number of excellent plays. The business was not the best owing to bad weather. The Luella-Forepaugh-Fish Wild West show is heavily billed for April 28. The Sells-Downs Circus and Menagerie is billed for May 6, and local carpenters are busy putting up billboards for their use. Preparations continue to go forward for the Twenty-second Annual Encampment of the G. A. R. in this city, May 13 and 14. GROSS.

MONTGOMERY, ALA.—Montgomery Theatre, (S. F. Hixsher & Bros., Mgrs.) Irish Pawnbrokers, to fair business. Prof. Weisner (local) to S. R. O.

Pickett Springs Summer Theatre (W. H. Pickens, Mgr.) This popular House will open May 1, with Leo. Russell.

Bloem Fountaine Park (C. E. Jones, Mgr.) The theatre is nearing completion and will open April 25 with summer opera. A first class company has been secured. JNO. W. BAILEY.

LORAIN, O.—The Verbeck (F. E. Johnson,) Yon Yonson, Apr. 13, to a large audience. Apr. 17, Black Patti pleased a large audience. 18, The Minister's Son, gave great satisfaction. Clark Scoville Co., opened 20 for one week to S. R. O. Coming, May 1, The Cowboy and The Lady; May 9, Herrmann, the Great; 16, The Tide of Life. Manager Johnson's summer Stock season will open May 18. Mr. Nute Boonsor will be business manager of the stock company. M. A. HENLIEN.

WEST SUPERRIOR, WIS.—Grand Opera House (C. A. Marshall, Mgr.) The Strollers pleased a big audience April 13. A Trip to Chinatown, 14; Uncle Reuben (local) 15; Arizona, to fair house 16. Coming; York State Folks, 20; Telehone Girl, 24. Mr. W. J. Smithson, assistant manager and treasurer of the Grand for a number of years, will leave the city to accept a very lucrative position in a bank at Spokane, Wash. Mr. Smithson leaves behind legions of friends. W. H. LAWLER.

NASHVILLE, TENN.—Vendome Theatre (W. A. Sheetz, Mgr.) Lulu Glazer in Doly Varden, the 10 & 11, to a good businesss. Jos. Jefferson in Rip Van Winkle, the 13, to S. R. O., the house was sold out in two hours. The Vendome Stock in the Count of Monte Cristo, 14, to 18, business good. Grand Masonic (Mrs. T. J. Boyle, Mgr.) The Boyle Stock Co., in Resurrection 13, to 17, packed houses. Coming, 18, Henrietta Crosman in The Sword of the King. E. L. TOBIAS.

SAGINAW, MICH.—Jeffers Theatre (Bamford & Marks, Mgrs.) Week April 13, Dearborn Comedy Co., popular plays. Academy of Music (J. H. Davidson, Mgr.) The King Dramatic Co. closed a successful two week's engagement Apr. 11; My Friend from India, Apr. 15. The Glasgow Stock Co., opens a three night engagement the 16 with the Knobs O'Tennessee. Teutonia Opera House, The High School Glee Club, April 17. J. McK.

CARROLLTON, MO.—Wilcoxson Opera House (H. H. & J. Wilcoxson, Mgrs.) The Wesleyian College Quartette, 16; Hermann, the Great, to a big house, 18; Ewing-Taylor Comedy Co., 27-28-29. Mr. H. C. Clark of Topeka, Kan., advance man for the Sells-Downs show was here 14, making arrangements for the show which exhibits here May 2. Car No. 1, of the Sells-Downs show was here 17, they have the town well covered with paper. L. W. WILHITE.

CHARLESTON, W. VA.—Burlew Opera House (W. S. Burlew, Mgr.) April 18, Southern Skies, to good house. Next is Alberta Gallatin in As You Like It. The Keystone Dramatic Company will appear week of 27, and the house will close after a successful season. Gentry Bros. Show will be here May 2 and Mr. R. M. Felters, Gen. Agent, who was here to make the necessary arrangements, reports business fine. JOSEPH SCHWAB.

SAN JOSE, CAL.—Garden Theatre (Webster & Ross, Mgrs.) Robert Downing delighted large audiences in Three Men in a Flat, Apr. 6. Next Week:—A Voice from the Wilderness. Victory Theatre (Chas. P. Hall, Mgr.) Lieut. Hobson spoke to a very poor audience, Apr. 7. Coming, Are You A Mason?; Mrs. Pat. Campbell in The Second Mrs. Tanqueray, also Kate Claxton. JOHN LOGAN.

TIFFIN, OHIO.—Nobles Opera House (Chas. F. Collins, Mgr.) Myrkle-Hardy Stock Company, closed a very successful week April 11. Black Patti Troubadours pleased a packed house Apr. 15. Coming, Gus Sun American Minstrels, Tuesday April 21. Notes:—A special matinee performance will be given by Gus Sun's Minstrels, Apr. 21, for the benefit of actor's sanitarium. R. HOPKINS.

JACKSON, TENN.—Marlowe Theatre (Woerner and Tuchfeld, Mgr.) April 9, Hunting for Hawkins, fair house, well pleased. Apr. 13, Other People's Money, very good business. Apr. 20, Henrietta Crosman, in The Sword of the King, captivates the most fashionable audience of the season. Coming, May 13, Sweet Clover, practically ending the season. S. T. TAMM.

WALLA WALLA, WASH.—New Walla Walla Theatre (C. F. Van Dewater, Mgr.) The Philharmonic Quartette, 13 to fair house, Concert pleased. Resurrection, 16, to good house performance fair. Coming, Capt. Richmond Hobson, 20; Hanford in Taming of the Shrew, 21; The Walla Walla B. P. O. E. 287 minstrels (local) 22; Mrs. Brune in Unorna, 23; Griffith in Macbeth, 24. W. STOKES.

NATCHEZ, MISS.—Temple Opera House, (Clarke & Gordon, Mgrs.) April 3, Sweet Clover greatly pleased a big house. Prisoner of Zenda to good business April 21.

NOTES.

The new theatre will be ready in September, and will be managed by Clarke & Gordon, the owners. A full description will appear in the Billboard shortly.

GALESBURG, ILL.—The show season is near a close here. D. P. Phillips was here Apr. 16, making arrangements for the Cole Younger and Frank James Wild West show, May 14. They contracted for 1500 feet of bill boards. O. J. Johnson our popular billposter was elected alderman in the 4th ward in our spring election. "Husky" is very popular. Lost River, Apr. 24; True Blue, 23. H. H. DALTON.

HOT SPRINGS, ARK.—New Grand Opera House (J. Frank Head, Mgr.) House dark. Coming, Sweet Clover, May 11. Notes:—Mr. D. A. Weis and his wife who were married last January, left for their home, after spending several weeks here. Mr. W. B. Geiskend was with the party. They are connected with the Greenwald Theatrical Circuit. L. J. R.

OTTUMWA, IA.—New Market Street Theatre (J. Frank Jersey, Mgr.) Brewster-Dunfield Concert, (local) 17, fair business, excellent satisfaction. The Younger Brothers Bank Robbers, 21; Maloney's Wedding Day, 23; Human Hearts, 24. Grand Opera House (Dr. Lloyd T. Dorsey, Mgr.) House dark 13-18, Theobaldi, violinist, 22. E. A. WORK.

CLINTON, MO.—Opera House (Bixman & Co. Mgrs.) House dark Apr. 13-18. Note:—The Marie Fountain Theatre Company, after a very profitable season, closed at Galena, Kan., Apr. 5. Bobby Fountain will spend the summer at Clinton, Mo., where he will also open next season Aug. 3. B. BYLER.

MARION, IND.—Indiana Theatre (E. L. Kineman, Mgr.) Apr. 17, Janice Meredith, to good business. Apr. 18, The Burglar and the Waif, to good business. Grand Theatre (E. L. Kinneman, Mgr.) Apr. 13-18, The Fays, to capacity business. The theatrical season closes next week. J. F. C.

DIXON, ILL.—Dixon Opera House, (Miss E. J. Truman, Mgr.) Vogel's Big Minstrels, April 17, packed this house to the doors. Coming, Uncle Josh Spruchy, April 24; William Owen, 28; Maloney's Wedding Day, April 30; Pete Baker, May 5; Flora DeVoss, 11-16. J. W. HETTLER.

DALLAS, TEX.—Dallas Opera House (Geo. Auzy, Mgr.) The Knowles, hypnotists, closed a weeks engagement April 18, to good houses. Next attraction is a benefit tendered to our manager Mr. George Auzy, April 25, by Thomas J. Keogh, in Baron Rudolph. SOL. KAUFMAN.

TAYLORSVILLE, ILL.—Vandeveer Theatre, (J. Hogan, Mgr.) April 16, Wm. Owen in The School for Scandal, pleased a large house 17. Reno gave fair satisfaction to small house. Coming, Gideon's Minstrels, Apr. 27. Note.—James Busby and Charles Maid of Busby Bros.' Shows were here 13.

ELMIRA, N. Y.—Lyceum Theatre (M. Reis, Mgr.) The Denver Express, 9; small house. David Warfield, 14; large house. Arizona, 16; The Bonnie Brier Bush, 17; Peck's Bad Boy, 18; Jerome Sykes in The Billionaire, 20. Auditorium (E. H. Colburn, Mgr.). Dark. J. M. BEERS.

HAMILTON, OHIO.—Jefferson Theatre (Tom A. Smith, Mgr.) April 11, Not Guilty, to two good houses, matinee and night. Apr. 13, Janice Meredith to a large audience. Coming, For Her Sake, will play at the Globe, matinee and night, April 18. Miss May Sargent will appear in Other People's Money, date not set. A. A. MEYERS.

GREENSBURG, IND.—The Grand Opera House (A. Gogert, Mgr.) Gilbert Eldredge, impersonator, to a fair audience, April 10, after which the house closed for the season. Note:—A. Gogert, manager of the Jolly Man's Troubles Company, is now booking for the season of 1903-4. C. E. BRIDGES.

VINCENNES, IND.—McJimsey's Theatre (F. Green, Mgr.) April 10—The Burglar and the Waif, to bad business, performance poor. April 13-19, The Harry Shannon Co., large houses and fair performance. They play Legally Dead, O'Brien, the contractor, The two Rogues, Camille. A. LOVE.

LAWRENCE, KAN.—Bowersock Opera House, (Irving Hill, Manager.) The Haskell Indian Band in four concerts April 17-18, to large audiences. The Leonard Stock Company (return engagement) 23-24-25. OSCAR O'CONNOR.

BEAUMONT, TEX.—Beaumont Theatre (E. M. Wiess, Mgr.) April 13-18, The Morey Stock Co., to immense business. April 20, Mr. Thos. Keough in Baron Rudolph; 21-22, Olympia Opera Co., (return date); 28, Sweet Clover. H. SOLINSKY.

LEXINGTON, KY.—Opera House, (Charles Scott, Manager.) The People's Money, a comedy with little merit, to fair business. The Peruchi Beldini Company in repertoire to capacity. J. F. A.

JOPLIN, MO.—Apr. 19, Orphan's Prayer, good company, fine audience. Apr. 25, Henrietta Crosman; 26, Stater's Madison Square Co., one night; 27-May 2, Anna Eva Fay. May 16, James K. Hackett. H. SCHERL.

ANACONDA, MONT.—Margerite Theatre (J. V. Collins, Mgr.) David Harum held the boards 15, good performance, fair sized house. Grand Opera House (R. W. Fray, Mgr.) The Darkest Hour, 17 to a small house. J. A.

CANANDAIGUA, N. Y.—Davidson Opera House (Harry Foreman, Mgr.) Apr. 21, The James Boys in Missouri, to a big house. 16-17, The Menill-Hose Co., gave another successful Amateur Minstrels performance. J. A. B.

MENDOTA, ILL.—Mendota Opera House (J. A. Dubbs, Mgr.) A Breezy Time, to a large and well pleased audience, Apr. 18. Coming, Gideon's Minstrels, Apr. 21; Wm. Owens in the School for Scandal, Apr., 30. U. S. A. H.

RICHMOND, KY.—Grand Opera House (B. Jonett, Secy.) The Kilties Band, 7, to packed house. New Opera House (D. C. Wiggins, & Bros., Mgrs.) house dark 13-18. Coming, Other People's Money, 21. P. L. WILLGING.

HARVARD, ILL.—Harvard Opera House (Phelps & Saunders, Mgrs.) Hi Henry's Minstrels, April 16, large house, more than pleased. Coming, A Breezy Time, May 21.

TITUSVILLE, PA.—Titusville Opera House (Jno. Gahan, Mgr.) At Cozy Corners, gave satisfaction to a crowded house 22. Coming, The Dudleys, 24-25. M. GOLDSTEIN.

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If there is any one thing that tries our patience more than another, it is to have to wade through the so-called "notices" which daily papers accord the openings of the big shows. They are all of a kind. Dull, characterless and without pith or point.

A reference to spring, brief mention of the show's title and place of exhibition, then a lot of rot about sawdust, spangles, borrowed children and clowns, and finally and invariably, the resemblance of shows. They never fail to ring in a succession of changes on the similarity of circuses. This old theme has been worked over in so many ways that it has become entirely threadbare.

It is a never failing source of wonder, that such drivel is printed at all, but when you come to think that reporters are actually paid for grinding it out you simply cannot understand it at all. It is neither criticism nor appreciation. Usually half flippant in tone, it is not complimentary. It is not helpful nor informing. It serves absolutely no useful purpose. It is just "filler" and serves only to occupy space that could much better be devoted to other purposes.

The reporter who says that all circuses are alike is a mental sloth. He is too lazy to note the points of difference which fairly clamor for attention. Circuses are as different and diverse as anything possibly can be.

Each has points, characteristics and salient features which mark it and clothe it with distinctive individuality.

The Forepaugh and Sells Bros. Shows, which opened in St. Louis May 20, is a notable example in point.

It is unique. There is no spectacle. There is no striving after new or odd changes. No straining for innovation. Every act presented is a real circus act. It is a tremendously big show—but a circus all the time. Its essence lies in its big heavy feature acts and the apparatus necessary to produce them. This is its distinguishing trait and it lifts it out of the rut and sets it over in a class of its own.

DOC. WADDELL.

(See First Page.)

Doc. Waddell is a born showman. He is self-made. The battle for the splendid reputation he possesses as an all-round showman has been hard fought. Every step forward has been won solely by merit. Mr. Waddell says he feels the stronger and better equipped by having to go against the current instead of with it. He began his show career by selling peanuts on the seats. He has been ticket seller, all-day grinder, principal announcer, lecturer, railway contractor, in advance of all kinds and sorts of aggregations, strictly applying himself in each and every position and fitting himself with an experience that is bound to bring him a golden future as manager and owner. Showmen like Doc. Waddell get there big—financially, socially and famously.

His work as press agent has perhaps more gilt and velvet about it than that of any other press agent. Others, who have gained renown in that line, have been backed by syndicate shows and fat bank rolls. Doc Waddell's greatest press work has been for shows that were weak financially. His press work invariably brought these shows business and put them on their feet. In fact, the shows in question engaged him to do that very thing. It is a specialty with Waddell to make the weak strong. His press stories have circumnavigated the globe and have been printed in all the languages of men. The Baltimore Herald recently said:—"In his way Doc. Waddell is a master—just as much so as was Wagner in his field, and Rubens in his, and J. Gordon Coogler in his.

Doc. Waddell has been specially engaged by the Chamberlain Brothers to pilot their New Triple Plate Railroad Shows through the present tenting season.

This fall Waddell will take charge of the advance for Ted Faust, who will put out one of the largest and swellest minstrel companies ever organized.

Beyond doubt Waddell is the King Bee of agents in piloting a first season show.

At the Pan-American Exposition, Buffalo, Waddell was one of the drawing attractions. Will he be at the St. Louis World's Fair? He refuses to answer the question and winks the other eye. The world moves on, and Doc. Waddell is still holder of the diamond belt in his line of business.

MARRIAGES.

Mr. Clark C. Doughty, the well known indoor and out-door amusement promoter of Columbus, O., has discovered that it is not good for man to live alone, and has obeyed the divine injunction by taking to himself a wife. The bride was Miss Mabel Boyer of Circleville, O., and the nuptials were celebrated at her home in that city April 20, at 6:30 o'clock, Rev T. G. Dickinson of the Methodist Episcopal Church performing the wedding ceremony. Miss Boyer has always been a favorite in Circleville society, and by her charming manners and sunny disposition has won and held a host of friends. Mr. Doughty also numbers his friends by legion throughout the country, all of whom join in wishing the young couple much happiness and prosperity.

Louis Nagell, of New York City, and Miss Nonnie Zucker, of Chicago, were recently married on the stage at Upper Sandusky, O., during the second act of the Missouri Girl.

William Sells and Miss Myrtle Maynard, members of Peck and His Motherinlaw Company, were recently wedded at Kenton, Ohio, and left immediately for Chicago.

David Laudau and Frandes Newhall, both members of the New York Imperial Stock Company, were married at Mt. Carmel, Pa., April 15.

Belle G. Mandelbaum was recently married to Bert S. Palmer at Toledo, O., by Judge D. C. Mitchell. Both are vaudeville artists.

OBITUARY.

Emma Brandt, the well-konwn actress, recently committed suicide at her hotel in Berlin, Germany. She sadly mourned the loss of her great dramatic powers, which caused her to accept a position in a concert hall. She deliberately prepared a wire frame covered with wadding soaked with chloroform, which she tied securely over her mouth and thus ended her existence. She was thirty-two years of age.

Thomas H. Slaughter, known to the profession as Harry de Lorme, died in New York recently. He was fifty-two years of age and a native of Kentucky. He was filling an engagement with Blanche Walsh at the time of his death. The body was taken to Louisville, Ky. for burial.

Col. W. H. Root, former partner of Bill Nye and an old friend of Buffalo Bill, died suddenly of heart failure at Scott Lake, Wyo., April 11. "Colonel Bill" as he was familiarly known was an old frontiersman and Elk. He took many wild animals to the coast and to Europe, and one season conducted an Indian Village on Glen Island. Interment was made at Laramie, Wyoming.

By the time this issue is before our readers, Diavolo who loops-the-loop with the Forepaugh and Sells Bros. Shows, will have probably ceased to be. He is reported so badly injured that he cannot recover.

TOMBSTONE

For George Castello's Grave.

George Castelle's grave in Mt. Carmel Cemetery, Chicago, is unmarked. It has been suggester that The Billboard start a subscription for the purpose of buying a simple headstone.

It is believed that all of his friends and many of his acquaintances would gladly contribute.

As the object is a worthy one The Billboard cheerfully complies with the request. The fund to be raised is only a modest one. But little is required, hence it has been decided not to accept over one dollar from any one contributor.

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FAIR ORGANIZATION.

For leading to successful results fair organization is as essential as organization in any other branch of industrial or commercial life. By organization I do not refer to the election of a membership and officers, but the proper concentration of all forces to act under prescribed rules, and binding harmony in moving the mental machinery of the fair and of obtaining manifest results to practically fulfill the object of the fair's creation. Fairs in the different counties of the state have, or should have, the same final objects in view; the betterment and extension of agricultural and industrial production, and the enlightenment of the people by practical demonstration as to the use and value of progressive methods, thus elevating agriculture, making industrial pursuits more pleasant, as well as more profitable; and ultimately increasing the wealth of the people, the counties and the state. Circuit organization recognized in the light of formulating and advisory bodies, can do a great deal toward placing fairs in a condition of operation, embodying uniformity, simplicity and intelligence in business management, and in promulgating the results of the fair, the same as boards of trade and exchange do in the commercial and other interests. The circuit executive body, composed of the best experience of the membership, can formulate rules of exhibition, classification and distribution of premiums, manipulation of concessions, order and extend publications, arrangement of transportation, legislations and many other things to enable its fair members to organize and conduct the fair with degree of uniformity and purpose, better than without the aid of some such central body. For the benefit of the state fairs and industrial expositions, we have an advisory suggestive body, known as the American Association of Fairs and Expositions, which comprises in its membership all the important state fairs and industrial expositions. The object of the Association is to concentrate thought in all matters pertaining to fairs and fair management, especially referring to its own membership, and to formulate plans and agree upon practical measures for adoption by the membership.

Many of the very best regulations and most successful features being carried out by the state fairs at the present time were conceived by this association and its predecessors. I could enumerate items that have saved the fair thousands of dollars, made the management easier and served agriculture and the public with increased profit. The premium offers in each competitive department should be very general, even if they can not be made liberal The classification should be liberal, even though the premiums must necessarily be small. But I would advise as great liberality as the funds will warrant. To reach the masses of the people every billboard and every shed and barn that could be used should have an anuoncement of the fair. Outdoor advertising is the best and quickest way to reach the people and attract their attention to the fairs. State fairs are improving. Whatever may be the tendency of the minor fair associations nowadays, and it must be confessed that too many of them are "advancing backward," the state fairs, as a rule, are cleaner, more useful, and better in every way than ever before.

W. A. Brady has completed the list of his attractions for next season. They will be.—Grace George in Pretty Peggy, a dramatization of Frank Norris' The Pit, the farce comedy Sunny Jim, a comedy by Allen Albert, of Washington, called Good Intentions, three companies in Way Down East, three companies in Lovers Lane, two companies in Foxy Grandpa and two companies in Under Southern Skies.

A Boston judge recently rendered a decision whereby, if this may be taken as a precedent, hissing in a theatre is no violation of the law. The defendant in the case became so displeased with the performance that he allowed himself to hiss and was hauled into court. He was prepared to make a defense, but the judge informed him that he need not go to the trouble as he had committed no misdemeanor.

LETTER-BOX

MAIL

Our readers and subscribers in all lines are invited to avail themselves of "The Billboard's" new mail scheme. We have an experienced clerk in charge of this department. He keeps track of people and forwards their mail wherever possible, the moment it is received, thus avoiding delay. Letters only are advertised when we do not know the whereabouts of the persons to whom they are addressed. Letters advertised for four weeks and uncalled for will be returned to the post office. Circulars, postal cards and newspapers excluded. Letters are forwarded without expense.

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Daley, Jack
Derry, Bill (Operator)
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Cody, Lillian
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Delmar, Gene.
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Davis, Mrs. Mabelle
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Shickle, Isabella.
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Thomas, Tillie.
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Whipple, Georgie.
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CORRESPONDENCE

NOTICE.—The Billboard desires a correspondent in every city and town in the United States which is not here represented.

CHICAGO.

Popularity of Du Barry increasing. The Tenderfoot is drawing good crowds in its revised form.

Illinois.—So strong has been the demand for matinee seats at the performance of Du Barry that Mrs. Carter consented to give two extra matinees. The Belasco production seems to increase its popularity rather than lose any of it.

Powers.—Ethel Barrymore opened a fortnight engagement to an audience that left no space unoccupied, in A Country Mouse, a very Frenchy English farce comedy. The supporting parts are all well taken.

Grand—Anna Held and her well trained company began the second and last week of The Little Duchess, to a packed house. Nearly every theatregoer in town has seen it but public interest in it does not seem to be in the least abated.

Dearborn.—Boom times for The Tenderfoot have developed and the production is fairly on its stride for a long summer run. The only trouble with The Tenderfoot was that it was too long, in cutting it down the author Richard Carle was forced to dispense with two popular members. In the last act a scene from a ballet and an imitation of marionettes receives five encores each night.

McVickers.—Andrew Mack in Boucicault's Arrah-Na-Pogue, the engagement is proving the most successful he has ever played in Chicago, and his impersonation of Shaun, the merry hero of the drama is making him hosts of new friends and admirers.

Studebaker.—Peggy from Paris, has become so thoroughly established that the announcement of its impending departure for Boston, caused an increase in the demand for seats. The closing date has been fixed at May 9.

Great Northern.—Foxy Quiller, opened to an overflowing audience and quite repeated the experience at night. It has been here before, but not at popular prices.

Academy.—Pennsylvania, to capacity both afternoon and evening. The company is capable. The Eagle Quartette receiving a number of encores.

Columbus.—Janice Meredith with a capable company headed by Rose Stahl and William Bonelli at popular prices, compares favorably with the original presentation of the play. Business is improving every week.

Bijou.—The Flaming Arrow, with Go Won Go Mohawk, the only Indian actress, filled the Bijou twice Sunday. Many novelties have been added.

31st. Theatre—The presentation of The School for Scandal, by the Columbus Stock Company, was worthy of warm commendation. The company has appeared several times before in the play and was "letter perfect."

La Salle.—The Paraders returned to the La Salle for a short run. There are new costumes and scenery. Rehearsals for the summer show, The Voyagers, are in progress.

Olympic Theatre, Vaudeville.—Russell Bros. & Co., Lew Sully, Mary Hampton & Co., Reno & Richards, Jordan & Crouch, Louise Montrose, and others.

Haymarket, Vaudeville.—Tom Nawn & Co., Quatnor Basque, Wright Huntington & Co., Macart's Dogs & Monkeys, Mathews & Harris, and other good ones.

New American.—Blue Grass of Old Kentucky, is being given this week by the Stock Company and is being well received.

Bush Temple.—Turned Up, kept a big audience laughing. Howard Hickman appeared as Carraway Bones, with great success.

Garrick.—Under Two Flags, Laura Pierpont the soubrette of the stock company plays the part of Cigarette in a very worthy manner. Miss Pierpont has been a member of the stock company since its organization and has won an enviable place in the hearts of the Garrick's patrons.

Chicago Opera House, Vaudeville—Clayton White, Marie Stuart, Techow's great cats; Edwin Latell, Rae & Brosche, Stuart Barnes, and others.

Sam T. Jack's—Clark's Royal Burlesquers, opened to two packed houses. The vaudeville bill is good.

Trocaderos—Millie de Leon, the original "girl in blue," made an emphatic hit, and remains at the Trocadero for a third week. The Gay Deceivers, a new musical comedy is the offering of the stock company.

Hopkin's—The City Club burlesquers are sure of drawing the crowds in this city.

NOTES.

Two Waifs, close their season April 25; Pennsylvania, closes season May 2.

A. H. HART.

BOSTON.

Mrs. Langtry in Mlle. Mars. All Houses Drawing Good Crowds.

Park Theatre. Mrs. Langtry presented Madamoiselle Mars, by Paul Kister, for the first time before a Boston audience. Mrs. Langtry is surrounded by a capable cast.

Boston Theatre. Second week of Augustin Daly's Musical Company in A Country Girl, with one more week to run.

Hollis St. Theatre. Last week our one of The Beauty and the Beast. This attraction is still playing to S. R. O.

Tremont Theatre. Weber & Field's and all star company in the travesty, Twirly Whirly, and the Burlesque, The Big Little Princess.

Boston Theatre. Second week of the Bostonians in Robin Hood.

Majestic Theatre. Robert B. Mantell in The Dagger and the Cross, Monbars, and The Face in the Moonlight.

Grand Opera House. McFadden's Row of Flats, funnier than ever, opened to a large and appreciative audience.

Keith's Theatre. Geo. Thatcher, well-known ex-minstrel, Moore & Hight, sketch artists, Ed. F. Reynolds, ventriloquial comedian, and double sextet with selections from Floradora, and strong vaudeville show.

Music Hall. On the Suwanee River is the offering this week.

Castle Square Theatre. The Stock Company this week presents Othello. John Craig's Othello and Lillian Lawrence as Desdemona are highly appreciated.

Bowdoin Square Theatre. Resurrection for the first time to a Boston audience by the stock company. The manner in which this performance is presented reflects much credit to Mgr. Lathrop and company.

Lyceum Theatre. Bowery Burlesquers is the offering at this popular theatre.

Palace Theatre. Mgr. Waldon opens the spring and summer season with his burlesque stock company, presenting two burlesques, Woman's Wit, and Robert Maccaire.

Howard Athenaeum Charmion, in her second week; the Orpheus Comedy Four Quartet, Toby Lyons, parodist, assisted by the usual choruses of comediennes. Tom McIntosh and strong vandeville show.

Austin & Stone's. Fannie Tunison, the greatest wonder of the century, born minus hands and limbs, she has become mistress of many accomplishments, such as writing with pen between her teeth, and doing the most exquisite embroidery work, is the main attraction in curio hall; also there is a great stage show afternoon and evening.

Mechanic's Building. The long looked for society event of the season. "The Horse Show" opened April 20. Among the society leaders present were Mr. and Mrs. Alfred G. Vanderbilt, Mrs. Jack Gardner, Eben D. Jordan, Mr. Thos. W. Lawson and family and many others.

NOTES.

Mr. Wm. H. Hanley, representing Robert B. Mantell, has been in town for several days.

James R. Keen, Treasurer, and Frank Conley, ticket agent of the Boston Museum, will be tendered a benefit April 27.

Mr. Sturgiss, advance agent of Ward & Vokes, the Head Waiters, is in town and has this show billed like a circus.

April 20, was a holiday in and around Boston, commemorating the battles of Concord and Lafayette, April 19, 1775. As April 19 fell on a Sunday this year, this day was observed on April 20. Both Charles River Park and Revere Cycle Track, the two cycle tracks of Boston, also drew large crowds, as did the horse trotting at Combination Park. In the evening the theatres all played to S. R. O.

It is rumored that Chas. Perry, advertising agent Tremont Theatre, will next season have charge of the advertising staff of Weber & Field's new theatre.

Mr. Louis E. Cook, in company of Mr. Fuller, of the Barnum & Bailey Show, was in town last week.

Mr. Davis, representing the Ringling Bros. Show, is in town.

JOHN E. DONNELLY.

ST. LOUIS.

Wm. Faversham in Imprudence at the Olympic. Large audiences prevail at all houses.

Summer Gardens are about ready to commence business, and next week will find St. Louis up to her neck in everything.

Everybody here is going to the circus and Wild West.

Forepaugh and Sells Brothers Big Circus has been doing an immense business all week.

William Faversham at the Olympic Theatre in Imprudence. It was his first appearance here as a star, and he made good. Business good. Next, Julia Marlowe.

Century Theatre.—Miss Blandick in the Christian, and the large audiences seemed to be greatly pleased with the production. Business good. Mrs. Jack, next.

Large audiences seemed to be greatly pleased with The Wrong Mr. Wright, at the Grand Opera House. The company is a fairly good one. Business large. At Piney Ridge, next.

Columbia Theatre has a good program this week. Kelly and Kent make a hit. The Young American Quintette, Johnnie Carroll, Shiller Brothers. The show is drawing well.

The Peddlar's Claim, at the Imperial Theatre. The show caught on immensely and is doing a good business. The company is a good one. Business is going nicely and a satisfactory week in prospect. The Charity Nurse next.

For Her Children's Sake at Harlin's Theatre is good and proved to greatly please the large business of the week. Miss Selma Herman proved herself an actress of exceptional ability. Good business rules. Next, Denver Express.

Standard Theatre.—The Trocaderos are fair, and give a pleasing entertainment. The olio comprises some very good acts. The show is drawing big business. The Thoroughbreds, next.

Hashagen Auditorium with George E. Weislogel as the headliner. Others on the long bill are Roys and Roberts; Ruff and Cusick; Ira Waldron; Al. Martin and the Two Hazels being the best. Business continues immense here.

NOTES.

Mme Lillian Nordica and Edouard de Reske will appear with the Metropolitan Opera House Orchestra, May 11 at the Music Hall. The advance sale is progressing nicely.

Eclipse Park will be the first summer Garden to open here, April 26. The drama to be put on is The Hunter, and the following people are in the company engaged:—Miss Louise Dunbar; Mr. Lee Beggs; Mr. Henry Pemberton; Miss Carolyn Maxwell; Miss Paul; Miss Campbell; Burt M. Jack; Robert Hymon; Harry Driscoll and William A. Tuney.

The Luella-Forepaugh-Fish Wild West Show has been drawing immense business all week and everybody who sees it has nothing but praise for the show.

W. J. FARLEY.

BALTIMORE.

Miss Percy Haswell in The Little Minister; The Show Girl at the Academy; Otis Skinner at Ford's.

The regular dramatic season of the leading houses will soon come to an end. The season has been exceedingly profitable and very gratifying to the managers. The Fawcett Stock Company will open a summer season at Ford's April 27, presenting Romeo and Juliet.

Academy of Music. (Nixon & Zimmerman, Mgrs.) The Show Girl makes a return visit this week after having created a furore on her previous visit. The company is practically the same with the exception of Miss Mary Sherwood, a new prima donna.

Ford's Opera House, (Mr. Chas. E. Ford, Mgr.) Mr. Otis Skinner with an excellent company presents Lazarre. This engagement has every indication of a profitable success.

Chase's Theatre, (Mr. J. Albert Young, Mgr.) The closing week of the season is ushered in with a production that has already proven a success at this house. Miss Percy Haswell assumes the title role of Lady Babbie, which is her third appearance in this play. The Little Minister is a big drawing card.

Empire Theatre, (Mr. Louis H. Baker, Mgr.) Cushman, Holcomb and Curtis, Ida Russell, Collins and Madell, and others.

Holliday St. Theatre, (Kernan, Rife & Houck, Mgrs.) Mr. Joseph Murphy with a capable company in Shaun Rhue and Kerry Gow. The performances are well attended.

Convention Hall, (Mr. Fred. C. Schanberger, Mgr.) McGill and Shipman's Stock Company presents Camille and Prince Otto this week.

Monumental Theatre, (Mr. James L. Kernan, Mgr.) Watson's American Burlesquers with a company of good comedians and pretty girls are drawing the usual large audiences.

Odeon Theatre, (Mr. James Madison, Mgr.) Cushman and St. Clair and the beautiful and talented Saville Sisters are the new additions to the company. The Gay Widow Gay, by Harry Devine, which eclipses all his previous efforts, is the opening comedy.

SYLVAN SCHENTHAL.

CINCINNATI.

The Mocking Bird at the Grand. Last week of the Lyceum. John Robinson Shows.

Grand (Rainforth & Havlin, Mgrs.) The Mocking Bird, with Mabelle Gilman in the leading role, supported by a very clever cast, opened Monday night to a fair attendance, considering the opposition of the Robinson Shows in Norwood. The piece is a pleasing light musical affair and will attract good business. Next, When Johnnie Comes Marching Home.

Columbia. (M. C. Anderson, Mgr.) An all star bill greeted an immense crowd Sunday night. The program as follows.—Ozav & Deimo, comedy jugglers; Will H. Fox in a satire on Paderewski; Mlle. Theo., with educated horse and dogs; George Stewart; Cole & Johnson, colored entertainers, are the headliners. They were recalled six times. Agnes Mahr, character changes; Thorne & Carleton, sketch; Martine Brothers, acrobats, one of the brothers turns sixty consecutive somersaults in as many seconds. The Bioscope ends the performance. Next, James Thornton heads the bill.

Walnut.—The Chaperons, that musical company with its pretty girls, pretty songs and catchy music is here for the fourth time and will play to a crowded house all week. The cast is about the same as before with one exception; May Boley, a young lady who appeared in a less important part last season admirably interprets the role of the modern Chaperon. Eva Tanguay as the girl detective, in songs and dancing, who scored such a hit before, lands another. The same comedians are seen all taking their parts equally as well. The whole bill in every part and detail with a host of pretty and shapely girls, and the music is an exceptionally good one, the best seen at the Walnut this season. Next, The Smart Set.

Heuck's (Heuck & Fennessy, Mgrs.) Maurice J. Fielding's A Ragged Hero is repeating the hit it made at this house last season, by crowding them in. This attraction closes the regular season at Heuck's. The Herman-Burler Stock Company opens its spring season here May 3, in Tolstoi's Resurrection.

Lyceum (Heuck & Fennessy, Mgrs.) With this week's attraction, The Ten-Ton-Door, the season will close at this house. The play is filling the house to the doors with pleased audiences at every performance.

Peoples (Heuck & Fennessy, Mgrs.) The Utopian Burlesquers are pleasing the usual large attendance at the Peoples. The costumes are fresh and pretty, the music good, and the olio interesting. The following performers appearing:—Albert and Rose La Velle, novelty dancers; Janoen and Jess, sketch artists; the Joselin Trio., Clofus, Rosa and Lena, acrobats; Tom Ripley, monologuist and singer; Charles E. Foreman, the lyric tenor, in illustrated songs; Mark and Kitty Hart, in a new sketch, "Hotel Razzle Dazzle" was the concluding number on the program, which exhibited the company in its full force and furnished a vehicle to introduce the lady members of the troupe in a number of well executed drills, marches and choruses.

John Robinson's Ten Big Shows opened under canvas at Norwood, Monday, April 27, after a three day's exhibit in the Horse Show Building at Louisville. The big tent was filled at both the afternoon and night performances and applause was given generously and deservedly. A review of the performance is published on another page of this issue. The snow will exhibit at Cumminsville and Covington also suburbs of Cincinnati.

NOTES.

Weber and Fields will be at the Walnut May 12.

The Span of Life closes the season at Boston, Mass., May 10. Manager Donazetta reports an excellent season. He is working on a new play which will be produced next season.

BUFFALO, N. Y.

Star Theatre (John R. Stirling, Mgr.) Virginia Harned in Iris, to good business, 20-25. Coming, E. S. Willard in repertoire, 27-May 2; Stuart Robson, 4-9.

Teck Theatre (Walter S. Baldwin, lessee & Mgr.) The Baldwin-Melville Stock had Resurrection as the bill 20-25. Booked, Under two Flags, 27-May 2.

Lyceum Theatre (John Laughlin, Mgr.) The Little Mother was here 20-25, business fair. Booked, Wallack's Cattle King, 27-May 2.

Academy Theatre (Dr. Peter C. Corwell, Mgr.) Why Women Sin, a sermon drama did well 20-25. Coming, Bolivar's Busy Day, 27-May 2.

Lafayette Theatre (Chas. Baggs, Mgr.) Tom Miner's Bohemian Burlesquers put up the goods 20-25, to fine returns. Coming, Jolly Grass Widows, 27-May 2.

Shea's Garden Theatre (M. Shea, Mgr.) Wilfred Clarke & Co. headed a fair bill 20-25; business medium; underlined Marie Dressler, 27-May 2.

Fenton's Vaudeville Theatre (Nate Fenton, Mgr.) Don Leno's Female Minstrels still continue and business rules good.

Schmidt's Tivoli Theatre (Schmidt & Son, Mgrs.) Business fair, 20-25, with Chatham Sisters, Ruth Erwin, La Clair & West. Booked, Vice & Viola, John & Carrie Mack, Arrieta Esmond, 27-May 2.

Convention Hall (Henry L. Meech, Mgr.) Occupied 27-May 9, by Buffalo Pure Show.

NOTES.

The Mikado, by amateurs at Concert Hall, 22-23. About 100 Indians paraded Main St., 20, being on their way to join Cummin's Wild West at Coney Island. They were familiar faces at the Pan-American. Joe Girard who has been on the sick list was out the past week. He will put two shows on the road this fall. He is with the Massillon Show Print Works.

DICKSON.

HUTCHINSON, KAN.—Home Theatre (W. A Loe, Mgr.) April 16-17-18, The Thurston Stock Co., to S. R. O. Coming, April 24, Sandy Bottom.

GEO. HARDY.

CLEVELAND, O.

A fine bill at the Empire, with Sandow as a headliner. When Johnny Comes Marching Home at the Opera House.

Chase's Empire (C. K. Stevenson) With Sandow as a headliner, and the best that could be procured bill, beyond question can be branded good. Another good feature on the bill is Fanny Rice.

Opera House (Mr. Hartz, Lessee) When Johnnie Comes Marching Home, to good business. The show is a good one throughout, the participants are good, and the scenery the same.

Lyceum (J. K. Cookson, Mgr.) The second week of Eugenie Blair's Spring Engagement in Aristocracy.

Colonial.—A fair bill this week as follows.—Mattie Keene & Co., in Her First Divorce; The Hoosier Zouaves, Genaro & Bailey, Bonnie Thornton, Lew Howkins, Colby & Way, Golden Gate Quintette, and others.

Star.—Fulton's Jolly Grass Widows have the two burlesques, also the olio, and the show is alright.

Cleveland.—The Ragged Hero is a good one and they are doing as good busines as heretofore.

NOTES.

Chase's Empire opens up the coming week with comic opera. Vaudeville season, which has been a very successful one, closes with a good show this week. Mr. Stevenson can be congratulated. The house looks as good as when it first opened up, four seasons ago. Practically the same help will be retained.

PHIL. FRANKEL.

KANSAS CITY.

The Willis Wood (Walter Sanford, Mgr.) Tim Murphy in The Carpet-Bagger, attracted big houses throughout week of 13. Mary Mannering in The Stubbornness of Geraldine, 20-22, and Richard Mansfield in repertoire 23-25.

The Grand (Hudson & Judah, Mgrs.) The Wrong Mr. Wright, week of 12. Mr. Beresford was especially clever. Week of 19, Herrmann the Great.

The Orpheum (Martin Lehman, Mgr.) Emily Lytton and W. H. Gerald in a ludicrous one act sketch entitled, He, She and It, headed last week's bill which was attended by big houses. For week of 19, Fisher and Carroll, eccentric comedians.

The Auditorium (Woodward and Burgess, Mgrs.) The regenerated Woodward stock company inaugurated its new stock season, week of 12. The Little Minister, week of 19.

The Gillis (E. S. Brigham, Mgr.) Lost River attracted big houses week of 12. The Denver Express, week of 19.

NOTES.

Advance cars of The Forepaugh-Sells circus, and The Luella-Forepaugh-Fish Wild West Show, have been very busy plastering the dead walls and vacant windows. The first named show comes May 11 and the latter May 18.

Duss, with the Metropolitan Opera Orchestra, and Mme. Nordica as joint attractions, will appear at Convention Hall in May.

CHARLES H. SMALL.

SPRINGFIELD, MASS.

Court Square Theatre (W. C. LeNoir, Mgr.) De Wolf Hopper in Mr. Pickwick, 11; John Drew in The Mummy and The Humming Bird, 15. Coming, San Toy, 18; A Chinese Honeymoon, 20; Mrs. Fiske, 21; Stuart Robson, 22; Mildred Holland, 23; Chauncey Olcott, 25; and Ben Hur week of 27.

Grand Opera House (C. W. Fonda, Mgr.) Mickey Finn, pleased the audiences 9-11. Sam T. Jack's Burlesque Co., 13-15, did a paying business. Horace Lewis in A Poor Relation 16-18. A Desperate Chance, 20-22.

New Gilmore Theatre (Miss Jennie Smith, Mgr.) The Fatal Wedding, 9-11, (third visit this season) filled the Gilmore to capacity. A Hoosier Daisy, 13-15, The company is adequate. When Women Love, 16-18, and Thomas E. Shea in repertoire week of 20.

Nelson Theatre (J. F. Burke, Mgr.) Fiddle-Dee-Dee has been here twice before, but well filled houses greeted this skit, week of 13. Next week(Echert & Berg and others.

NOTES.

Barnum & Bailey and Ringling Brothers are attempting to "head off" each other locally in making dates. Barnum & Bailey arranged to show here July 20, and a few days later Ringling Brothers announced June 5 for their appearance. Not wishing to be preceded by their rivals Barnum & Bailey promptly changed their date to June 4, one day ahead of Barnum & Bailey's aggregation.

Creatore made such a good impression upon the music loving community that two more concerts have been arranged for the 25.

C. B. MARTIN.

NEW BEDFORD, MASS.

New Bedford Theatre (W. B. Cross, Mgr.) In Old Limerick Town,. The play is wholsome and the costumes true to the time and place. Booked:—Geo. Sidney in Busy Izzy, 20; Robert Edeson, 21; The Chinese Honeymoon, 22; The Holy City, 23-24; San Toy, 25. Bostock's Trained Animals, 14-18, giving ten performances, to large patronage.

Flowers' Theatre (Flowers and Shamon, Mgrs.) The Vagabond Burlesque Company, 13-14-15, and drew packed houses.

Sweeny's Theatre (T. B. Baylier, Mgr.) Morrison and Berwick led the array of clever performers in their character work. Week of Apr. 20, Little Elsie McRaland Wyatt, Jennings and Renfrow.

Star Theatre, (F. Tatterson, Mgr.) Straight vaudeville with a change of bill weekly. Business has been fair considering the very stormy weather during the past week.

J. H. KELLEY.

LANCASTER, PA.

Fulton Opera House (Yecker and Gleim, Mgrs.) A Desperate Chance, April 11, drew a large audience. J. H. Stoddart in The Bonnie Briar Bush, 13, pleased fair house. Rudolph and Adolph, 16, pleased large audience. Sign of the Cross, 17, delighted good business. The Duchess of Devonshire, 18; light audiences at both performances. Foxy Grandpa, 21, cancelled. Howe's Moving Pictures delighted good audience. Coming: The Burgomaster, 25; Phelan Stock Co, April 27-May 2. The Woolworth Roof Garden (Capt. John B. Peoples, Mgr.) opens the season May 4. The bill will include the Twin Nices, Smirl and Kessner, Irene Franklin, Eugene O'Rourke and Co., The Allisons, John F. Clark, Delto, Reill and Glissando, Welsh Brothers' Newest Great Shows, April 15-21. With the exception of the opening dat, when rain interfered, the "big top" was crowded at each performance.

SHREINER.

FAIRS STREET FAIRS & EXPOSITIONS

FAIR NOTES.

Hardy ("The American Blondin") has returned to America to play parks and fairs.

A new Wapello County Fair Association will probably be organized for the purpose of holding a fair at Ottumwa, Ia.

The Northwestern Missouri Log Rolling Association will hold their annual event in connection with the Gallatin, Mo., fair.

The Marvelous Redmonds have booked for the following Kentucky Fairs: London, Danville Guthrie, Crab Orchard and Sheperdsville, and would like to hear from all other Kentucky fairs.

Frank Weldon who successfully managed the last Southern Inter-State Fair at Atlanta, Ga., has tendered his resignation as secretary, to devote all his time to his own interests. His successor will be elected May 6th.

The Winnebago County (Ill.) Fair Association has been dissolved and for the first time since 1841, Winnebago County will be without a fair. The first society was formed in 1839, and since that time several new organizations have been formed. ?????

Do not depend on your local advertisers to fill the advertising space in your catalogue. The fair catalogue is an excellent advertising medium for those who cater to the class of people it reaches. It is usually distributed throughout a wide district and is read, every line and every word of it, by the head of every family in the district though which the distribution is made. The fair is a big event with them and the catalogue is its herald. The advertisers know this and they will use your medium with very little soliciting on your part. Just how much publicity it will require to impress them with the fact that you wish to sell your advertising space depends on various conditions. You should know them best and act accordingly.

Street Fairs & Carnivals

STREET FAIR NOTES.

Hatch Adams got Greensboro, Salisbury and Reedsville, N. C.

The Indiana Barbers' convention will be held at Lafayette, Ind., May 4.

Charles A. Doyle has joined the Southern Carnival Company as promoter.

Splash, the high diver, has signed with the Captain Collins Carnival Company.

The Southeastern Missouri Traveling Men's Association will convene at Farmington, Mo., May 15.

Gertrude Breton, the lady loop-the-loop artist has signed with the Hatch-Adams Carnival Company.

The A. O. U. W. Lodge of Georgetown, Ky., will hold a street fair during the latter part of June..

The annual state encampment of the G. A. R. of New York will be held at Niagara Falls, June 24-26.

Fred Ballard has been elected chief of the press bureau of the Lexington, Ky., Horse Show, Fair and Carnival.

The date of the May Festival at Marion, Ohio, has been changed to May 27-28. Chas. E. Perry is the secy.

The Hatch-Adams Carnival Company opened at Tarboro, N. C., April 13 in a rain which continued to fall four days.

La Monthe Bros., novelty parallel bar experts, have been engaged as a special free attraction with the Gaskill-Mundy-Levitt Carnival Co.

The Ft. Plain (N. Y.) Street Fair Association, will hold its annual event September 14-19. Frank J. Ehle is president of the association.

The Pythian Carnival at Oakland, Cal. will be held at Idora Park, May 23-31, inclusive. M. Bock and H. W. Dowling are in charge of the event.

A. Proctor and M. A. Yorty have joined Howard Gibbon's United Shows of all Nations as a paid attraction. The shows open at Logan, Ohio, April 28.

Hettler's Royal Palmistry Company opened the season April 22 at Monroe, Wis., with an entire new outfit. Their route lies through Wisconsin, Minnesota, and North Dakota.

The San Bernardino, Cal. Street Fair and Carnival will be held May 11-16. A committee was appointed to raise funds and they have secured $4,575. A grand stand is being built which will accommodate 30,000.

The 100th anniversary of the statehood of Ohio will be celebrated at Chillicothe, O., May 20. Speeches have been assigned to twenty-one men prominent in affairs of the state. $1,000 have been appropriated to furnish the music.

G. F. Donovan, who had charge of the Aztec Girls for George Hines, with the Bostock Carnival company last season, will manage Truf and Field's Tonophone Park, at Kansas City, Mo., this summer. He has engaged Michael Greentree, the high diver, as a feature.

The Hall Carnival Company did not cancel all dates as stated in a recent advertisement in The Billboard. They merely cancelled the first three weeks in May and changed the dates of Cannelton, Ind. to May 25. All dates after this will be filled. Mr. Hall has had a bad spell of it, but is now able to get around again.

The Masons of Elmira, N. Y., are making arrangements for a street fair to be held in that city this summer. The following committees were appointed: Committee on donations H. C. Bruster, W. R. Lesley, Dell Vaughn E. S. Hanford, P. L. Lang; publication committee, G. D. Genung, C. A. Smith; decorations, A. K. Gore; invitation, John Merkle, J. W. Clark, H. C. Van Duzer, E. S. Hanford.

Prof. Ed. R. Hutchinson, the human bomb, severed his connections as business manager with the Ollie Halford Stock Company and will devote his time to the booking of his bomb act. He has been engaged as a special feature at the following fairs.—Wheeling, W. Va., Huntington, Pa., Ottawa, Ont., and for the opening of Idora Park, Youngstown, O. Walter L. Hasselton will be associated with the act during the season.

Notes from the Great Eastern Street Fair Company:—The following shows have contracted with us for the season: W. H. Williams, Hall of Fame; G. G. Gill, Merry-go-round and Ferris Wheel; Agin Bros., Crystal Maze; Woodford and Hampton's War Show; J. G. Miller's Old Time Plantation; Lamar and Slada, Opium Den and Ping Pong Girls; Jack Hayward's Sea Serpent; A. A. Proctor, Bosco; Frank Coleman's Museum Woodford and Hampton's Gypsy Village and Laughing Gallery. We will carry our own Streets of India and Palace of Wonders. J. J. Cady, of Boonville, will furnish the band. Everything is ready for the opening at Princeton, Ky., May 18th. We have eleven weeks now booked and two men still in the field.. Prospects are good and we think this will be the banner year when it comes to street fairs.

Notes from the Southern Carnival Company:—Mr. H. L. Leavitt, our general representative is back with the show after closing contracts for ten weeks in California and the Northwest. Business has been good and last week at Fresno, Cal., was beyond expectations. Matt Gay, the high diver, continues to be one of the features. Joe Katool, while trying to wake Wallace, one of the big lions, at Fresno, Cal., was badly lacerated about the head and shoulders, but is getting along nicely. Manager Nat Reiss has just returned from the Northwest, where he closed several contracts with the R. R. companies. We are now in Sonora, Cal., and business is big. J. C. Duggins left the company recently to join Norris & Rowe's shows as treasurer. We are all anxious to get East again. Katool's trained wild animal show is doing fine. Prof. Rawilnson's trained dogs have just been added. J. T. Buford, manager of Loretia, caused great surprise by marrying his star.

Notes from Wallace's World's Great Glass Show:—After closing thirty weeks with the Wright Carnival Company, we jumped from Decatur, Ill. to San Francisco, Cal., and during the past six months have been playing all the important cities in California. We carry special paper from the Donaldson Litho. Co., and travel in our own cars. We have to pay $350 state license but our receipts justify any expense we go to. We open the Street Fair season April 27, at Alameda, Cal. We have a new canvas from Thompson & Vandeveer. Our roster includes the following people: W. F. Wallace, proprietor and manager; Mrs. W. F. Wallace, glass engraving; Wm. L. Sullivan, J. B. Murphy, Geo. Orr, Johnny Wallace, glass blowers; Nettie Brown, glass spinning; Emma Seifert, souvenir counter; Harry Williams, magician and ventriloquist; John H. Ward, tickets, and H. E. Bunch, advance agent.

Notes from Hatch-Adams Carnival Company: We opened the season April 13 at Tarboro, N. C., and in spite of three days of stormy weather and one blow down, big business prevailed. We have the following paid attractions: Loop-the-Loop and Cycle Whirl, Captain Breton, manager; Fred Fink, announcer; The Great Bunker in his Golden Grotto; Harry Catchem, spieler; Geo. Bum, electrician; Mt. Pelee, D. Webster, manager; Frank Elmer, orator; Miss Raleigh, soloist; Dot, the Egyptian Daughter, Jim Dolars, manager; G. Plank, spieler; Grace Weather, songstress; Snakeold, Arch Fournier, manager; Billy Salisbury, talker; Lunette, the flying lady, F. Pierce, Manager; G. Kent and B. Lake, spielers; Pleasure Palace, Chas. Young, manager; Odetta, May Doan, Clara Spartanburg, Richardo & Annet, B. Young, pianist; Old Plantation, O. Cooley, manager; A. Winter and C. Baker, spielers; Akar George, manager Streets of Cairo with twenty-two people. Dog and Monkey Circus, Streets of India, Ferris Wheel and Merry-go-Round, Hatch-Adams, proprietors; J. F. Hatch, general manager; James Adams, treasurer; H. P. Sourbeck, general representative; F. Wren, G. Dunkirk and A. L. Sourbeck, promoters; E. O. Ferguson, publicity; Blackey, master transportation; J. Grey, construction department. We travel in our own train of ten cars.

PARKS
PLEASURE RESORTS & SUMMER GARDENS

PARK NOTES.

Locust Point Grove at Oak Harbor, O., will open the season May 31.

Lincoln Park Theatre at New Bedford, Mass., will open the season May 30.

Hardy ("The American Blondin") has returned to American to play parks and fairs.

George F. Donovan will manage Truf & Field's Tonophone Park at Kansas City, Mo., this summer.

The name of Fir Grove at Portland, Ore., has been changed to Central Park. It will open May 2.

A new pavilion will be built at Silver Lake Cleveland, Ohio, to cost $12,000. It will be completed May 30.

The Great Western Printing Co., of St. Louis, Mo., has just finished a new sixteen-sheet poster for Forest Park Highlands, of St. Louis.

The site of the Carthage Fair, near Carthage, Ohio, will probably be utilized as a summer resort. Many of the directors of the fair board are interested in the project.

Capt. Boynton sailed for England, May 1, with the high diving horses, King and Queen. The horses are under the management of Messrs. Marshall and Whalen.

The Wheeling Park Association is making arrangements for the opening of their park at Wheeling, W. Va. Many improvements have been made in the grounds. They will also have a roller coaster constructed..

J. G. Rossman, of the Ponce de Leon Amusement Company of Atlanta, Ga., is suing the Scenic Railway Co., of Detroit, Mich., for $5000 damages on account of that company's alleged failure to erect the scenic railway which was contracted for.

Forest Park Highlands at St. Louis, Mo., opened the season April 30. Col. Hopkins engaged Liberati's Band for the first attraction, with Miss Nellie Hawthorne as soloist. Great improvements are noticeable. The lighting power consists of 10,000 lamps of which seventy-five are new Mogul lamps of 300 candlepower.

Chilkowee Park at Knoxville, Tenn. will open the season May 26. The Peruchi-Beldini Company will produce popular plays at the park theatre. The orchestra will be made up entirely of ladies. Manager Roberts has purchased six monkeys, six pheasants, some peacocks, and is negotiating for the purchase of an elephant to be added to the attractions at the park. He is also looking for an ostrich.

Messrs. Marre & Sinopoulo have purchased a half interest in Colcord Park, of Oklahoma City, Okla. The other half is owned by Col. Colcord. Many improvements are being instituted. Twenty arc lights and 1200 incandescent lights have been installed. All the seats in the theatre are being painted. A new dancing platform is being constructed, 42 x 185 feet. The roads and paths will be fixed up and the beauty of the lawns enhanced. The park will open the season May 10.

BOONVILLE, MO.—Stephen's New Opera House—The Choral Union, a local organization will present The Doctor of Alcantara, May 1. The regular theatrical season has closed and the populace is looking forward to outdoor attractions.

Coming events cast their shadows before and the approaching circus is heralded by flaming posters and brilliant banners. Notwithstanding that the Forepaugh-Fish-Wild West had about covered everything in sight for their appearance on the 28, car No. 1, of the Sells-Downs great Shows, in charge of W. R. Muscat, put in it's appearance on the 22, and, in the language of Muscat, had space up it's sleeve. The boys with the brush, the lithographers and the banner artists immediately got busy. Before long a kaleidoscopic change has taken place in the big figure 7 was everywhere in evidence. The public is admonished to "wait for the only big show on the 7 of May." It simply shows that the irresistable billposter will make a showing with only half a chance. The roster of the Sells-Downs car No. 1 is as follows:—Manager W. R. Muscat; Special Agent, Geo. E. Robinson Lithographer, Fred Kessler; Banners, Chas. Mohr; Programmer, James McKinnon; Paste Maker, C. P. Parker, and the following billposters:—M. J. Burke, Milt Brown, Geo. Clair, H. D. Wright, P. C. Schnook, A. G. Vermette, W. B. Fishback, G. G. Payne, E. Francis, L. E. Nichols, H. Pierce, Jack Culver. The car is a beauty and rides like an air ship.

Preparations for the 22 annual encampment of the G. A. R.'s of Missouri is going forward with a vim. The date is may 13 and 14.
GROSS.

NEWARK, N. J.—Newark Theatre. A genuine treat was offered at this house April 13-18 by Conreid's Irving Place Theatre Dramatic Co. Good business ruled throughout the week in Die Ehre, and Hopla. Amelia Bingham (second time this season), April 20-25. Next: My Lady Peggy Goes to Town. Empire Theatre—The Four Cohans in The Governor's Son, April 13-18, to good houses. The Peddler, with Joe Welch, April 20-25. The star acted the title role excellently, but he is by no means a Warfield. Next attraction: At the Old Cross Roads. Columbia Theatre—Human Hearts Apr. 13-18. The company is good, as were the box returns. An American Gentleman, April 20-25. The company was efficient. Next week: On the Stroke of Twelve. Blaney's Theatre.—The Stock Company, April 13-18, in The Silver King. The performance was smooth. Good business ruled throughout the week. Alvin Joshe, April 20-25. April 27- May 2, Child Slaves of New York. Waldmann's Opera House—The Cracker Jacks, Apr. 20-25, to good audiences. Apr. 27, Weber's Dainty Duchess.

Proctor's—John & Emma Ray top the bill, in Casey, the fireman; Leroy & Woodford, musical Thor, Smirle, Kessner and others. The comedy bicyclists, Mosher, Houghton and Mosher, are fine. B. WARD ALLISON.

JOHNSTOWN, PA.—Cambria Theatre (I. C. Mishler, Owner and Mgr.) Conroy and Mack presented, A Daughter of Cuba; The Dangers of New York; Her Father's Crime, etc., to large matinee and night houses. April 16, matinee and night, Foxy Grandpa pleased large houses. April 17, The Tyranny of Tears, to a large audience. The Sign of the Cross, April 22, Jefferson De Angelis; April 23, Are You A Mason?; April 24, An Eye for an Eye; April 25, matinee and night, Lyman Howe's Moving Pictures; Apr. 27, The Kilties; April 29, Black Patti. Johnstown Opera House (Apr. 13. Faust to a large audience. April 15, Rudolph and Adolph, pleased a very large audience April 17; The Royal Lilliputians to S. R. O., Week of April 20, with daily matinees, the Clara Turner Stock Co., week of April 27, Wilbur Mack.

FORT MADISON, IA.—Ebinger Grand, (Chas. H. Salisbury, Mgr.)—Elks' Minstrels, April 14, biggest house of the season. The Moonshiner's Daughter April 16 a good show, good scenery, poor house. Coming: Younger and James Wild West Show, May 5.

NOTES.

John M. Miller, of this city, is with Indian Bill's Wild West.

Chas. H. Salisbury, manager of the Ebinger Grand, joins the Younger and James Wild West Show, May 5.

A Breezy Time, April 21, pleased a very good house.

Clarence Fry, leader of the Hans Hanson orchestra, will spend the summer in this city. Company closed the season at Richmond, Ind., last week. C. S. PRATT.

AKRON, O.—Colonial Theatre (S. S. Vail, Mgr.) Apr. 10, The Two Sisters, to fair house, 13, Ghosts, to medium business; 15, Are You A Mason? to good house considering the stormy night. 19, Black Patti; 21, Alice Fisher in Mrs. Jack (return); 24, Francis Wilson. Grand Opera House (T. K. Albany, Mgr.) Apr. 9-11, The Little Mother, to average business; 13-15, The Charity Nurse, to good business. Messrs. Heuck and Fennessey have in this production a hummer. The play is especially appealing to the ladies, is a bright, clean story well told by a company of good actors. 16-18, Why Women Sin; 20-21, A Texas Steer. Item:—..MAY 9, The Great Wallace Shows; 21, Ringling Bros.; June 17, Walter L. Main; Aug. 24, Barnum & Bailey. H. P. S.

CUMBERLAND, MD.—Academy of Music, (Mellinger Bros., Lessees and Mgrs.) The Cook Church Co. closed a week of good business April 11. Cook-Church company close their season April 18 at Washington, Pa. Mr. Cook will render his show "An Actor's Romance, April 20-25, at Empire Theatre, Pittsburg, Pa. April 20, A Convict's Daughter, to fair house. April 21, Thelma to big house. April 25, The Sign of the Cross to a big house. April 28, The Kilties Band. May 2, King Dodo. This will possibly close the regular season.
JOHN J. STUMP.

SCHENECTADY, N. Y.—Van Curler Opera House (C. H. Benedict, Mgr.) Apr. 16, The Eleventh Hour, to large audience; 18, Quinlan & Wall's Minstrels, done a good business; 21, Isabella Urquhart gave an amusing production; A Turkish Texan; 22, William Morris in When we were Twenty-one, drew a good house. Coming, 23, A. Hoosier Daisy; 24, David Warfield; 25, Hearts of Blue Ridge; May 13, The Rogers Brothers in Harvard. Note:—The Congress of Nations fair, held in the Armory, is proving a decided success. LES. AUMIC.

ST. JOHNSBURY, VT.—Howe Opera House Coming, The Old Homestead, 25, matinee and evening. Evil Eye, 29, Music Hall.—Russell H. Conwell, 23. Note:—Manager Chapman of Howe Opera House has organized a theatrical circuit of cities in N. H., and Vermont, called the Chapman Theatrical Circuit of New England and includes all the leading cities and towns in the two states and attractions booked at Howe Opera House, play the circuit. Shore Acres at the New Lisbon Opera House, Lisbon, N. H., 21, played to capacity house.
C. H. TURNER.

BELOIT, WIS.—Wilson's Opera House (R. H. Wilson, Mgr.) Pinafore (local talent) April 16, Chris and Lena, 20, to a good house. Lyceum Comedy Co., 22-23; Over Niagara Falls, 24. Items:—Gormer Brothers' Circus will be with us May 5. Manager Wilson will re construct and greatly enlarge the stage of his theatre this summer. William Nichols, head usher at Wilson's, was married 9. The Kenison Sisters, acrobatic dancers of this city, have joined the Pickings from Puck Co.
MILAN NORTHOP.

MARTINSBURG, W. VA.—Central Opera House (A. F. Lambert, Mgr.) Apr. 18, Thelma, to good business; Apr. 21, The Tide of Life, to good house. Coming, Haverly's Minstrels, Apr. 25. Note:—Eddie J. O'Brien, advance agent for the Finnigan's 400, who closed for the season, is home and reports a good season. H. P. Sourbeck, General Representative for the Hatch-Adams Carnival Co., is here trying to arrange dates. R. A. C.

COLUMBUS, GA.—Springer Opera House, (C. P. Springer, Mgr.) The season was brought to a close on the 17 by the Irish Pawnbrokers, who caught a very small house but gave satisfaction.

Wildwood Park Casino, (Springer & Peterson, Mgrs.) The vaudeville season for the coming summer will open May 11. This park is in the Frank Neville Circuit. E. GRAY.

SHAMOKIN, PA.—G. A. R. Opera House (J. F. Osler, Mgr.) Eulalie, The New York Girl, Apr. 18, gave a pleasing performance, to fair house. Foxy Grandpa, Apr. 22, pleased a large audience. The Two Sisters, Apr. 25; The Tide of Life, Apr. 27. Fraternity Theatre (W. D. Fields, Mgr.) Wine, Woman and Song, (return date) April 22, to crowded house. E. F. H.

WHEELING, W. VA.—Court Theatre (Ed. Franzheim, Mgr.) April 20, (return engagement) Alice Fisher in Mrs. Jack,, to S. R. O. matinee and night, April 21, The Kilties, to good business, matinee and night, April 25, Hearts of Oak, to good house. Coming, April 29, William Faversham in Imprudence.
J. J. KELTZLY.

SPRINGFIELD, MO.—Baldwin Theatre Hus- and Brooks, Mgrs.) Stater's Madison Square Theatre Co., 20-21-22-23-25, to big houses. Henrietta Crosman in The Sword of the King, 24.

A full house greeted Stater's Madison Square Theatre Co., at the Baldwin Theatre.
ARTHUR SCHWIEDER.

MUSKEGON, MICH.—Grand Opera House (R. N. McGraft, Mgr.) Louis James and Frederick Warde in the Tempest, one of the best houses of the season on April 16. April 18-19, Joshua Simpkins, to rather small houses. Week of April 20, The Fays to very good business. Vogel's Minstrels April 26. H. ZIMMER.

CAMDEN, N. J.—The Lyceum Dramatic Club (J. P. Lorigan, Mgr.) The Lyceum Dramatic Club closed a successful season with a highly meritorious rendition of Fanchon the Cricket. The miniature theatre at Broadway and Federal Streets, in which so many popular plays have been given of late was crowded to the doors.

OSHKOSH, WIS.—The Cowboy and the Lady to a large house, April 16; Hi Henry's Minstrel pleased a large audience Apr. 19, (return engagement) April 23. April 21, Arizona; 24, Chris and Lena; 25, The Strollers; 26, The Millionaire Tramp. Uncle Josh Spruceby, April 18, to good business. GEO. HAVERTY.

FOND DU LAC, WIS.—Crescent Opera House (P. B. Maber, Mgr.) April 17, Hi Henry's Minstrels, to big house. April 20, The Cowboy and the Lady, drew a good audience. Van Dyke and Eaton Co., three days' engagement Apr. 23. In The Valley of Kentucky; April 27, The Strollers. N. W. S.

JACKSON, MICH.—The Atheneum (H. J. Porter, Mgr.) Apr. 17, Louis James and Frederick Ward in The Tempest, to S. R. O. Apr. 18, The Christian, to fair house. Coming, 20, Week, Howard-Dorset Co; Apr. 29, Eight Bells; Apr. 30-May 2, Marks Bros; May 2, Frisbee Bros., Raildroad shows. CHAS. F. MORSE.

WINONA, MINN.—Winona Opera House (O. F. Burlingame, Mgr.) Apr. 17, James O'Neill, to a fair house. April 18, Stetson's U. T. C. matinee and evening to crowded houses. The Chaperons, gave one of the best shows here this season. Coming, Apr. 30, Janice Meredith.
J. A. HESS.

MOUNT CARMEL, PA.—G. A. R. Opera House, J. B. Gould, Mgr.) The New York Imperial Stock Company, April 13 to April 18, to crowded houses. King of the Coal Fields, did not appear. Foxy Grandpa, April 23.
JOHN G. YOUNG.

BUTLER, PA.—Park Theatre (Geo. N. Buckleatter, Mgr.) 18, Are You A Mason?, great house, and fine show; 20, King Dodo, elegant satisfaction, S. R. O.; 21, A Hidden Crime, fair show, nice business. Coming, 24, Hello Bill; 29, Indian Bill's Wild West.

SHARON, PA.—Morgan Grand Opera House (L. S. Morgan, Mgr.) Wilbur Mack Company, 13-17, played to big business. Virginius, (local) 18-20, to S. R. O. Hello Bill, 25; B. Bryan Stock Co., 27-May 2; Himmelein's Ideals, 4-9; The Wallace Shows, 12. D. TRAXLER.

DUBUQUE, IOWA.—Grand Opera House (W. T. Roehl, Mgr.) April 18, Mary Shaw in Ghosts was witnessed by a small audience. April 20, The Gaskell Stock Company opened a week's engagement in A Silent Partner, Richard Mansfield in Julius Caesar, May 2.

RICHMOND, VA.—Academy of Music (Thos. G. Leath, Mgr.) Haverly's Mastodon Minstrels, Apr. 18.. Bijou (Chas. McKee, Mgr.) George Fawcett playing Rip Van Winkle, Apr. 13-14-15; Across The Pacific, Apr. 16-18.

ELWOOD, IND.—Kramer Grand (J. A. Kramer, Mgr.) For Her Sake, 15, pleased packed house. Jocslyn's Ben Hur, 17-18, light business, pleased. Devil's Lane, 2.
CLYDE HUNTER.

MALTA BEND, MO.—Columbia (R. A. Dunlap, Mgr.)—Apr. 22, Roney's Boys' Concert Co. gave satisfaction to good crowd. April 28, Juvenile Fun Makers. Management has some open time.

BUTTE, MONT.—Broadway Theatre (Dick P. Sutton, Mgr.) William H. Crane in David Harum, Apr. 13-14. Grand Opera House (Arthur A. Marks, Mgr.) The Game Keeper, to a packed house. J. A.

WINCHESTER, KY.—The Winchester (Bryan & Martin, Mgrs.) Other People's Money Apr. 22, good house. This will close the house for the season. C. MURPHY.

ROUTES AHEAD.

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TENT SHOWS.

BUSBY Bros. R. R. Shows—Blue Mound, Ill., Apr. 29; Cerro Gordo, 30; Tolono, May 1; Sidney, 2; Fairmount, 4.

BARNUM & Bailey (James A. Bailey)—Brooklyn, N. Y., Apr. 27-May 2; Philadelphia, Pa., 4-9.

BUFFALO Bill's Wild West—London, Eng., indef.

CHAMBERLAIN'S New Triple Plate R. R. Shows—Westport, Pa., Apr. 29; Driftwood, 30; Emporium, May 1-2; St. Mary's 4-5.

COLORADO Grant Shows (Geo. Riles, Agt.)—Shelbyville, Ill., May 2.

ELYS Geo. S. Circus—Geff Station, May 2; Fairfield, Ill., 4.

FOREPAUGH Wild West (Harry Semon, Mgr—Marshall, Mo., Apr. 29; Lexington, 30; Sedalia, May 1; Warrensburg, 2; Harrisonville, 4; Rich Hill, 5; Nevada, 6; Lamar, 7; Carthage, 8; Joplin, 9.

FORREPAUGH & Sells Bros., (Lewis Sells, Mgr.)—Pittsburg, Kan., Apr. 29; Coffeyville, 30; Arkansas City, May 1; Guthrie, 2; Oklahoma City, 4; El Reno, 5; Enid, 6; Wichita, 7; Emporia, 8.

GLASSCOCK'S Shows—(Alex Glasscock, Mgr.)—Clarendon, Ark., May 4.

GOLLMAR Bros. Shows (Chas. Gollmar Mgr.)—Opens Baraboo, Wis., May 2.

HARGREAVE'S Big R. R. Shows—South Amboy, N. J., May 4; Perth Amboy, 5; Rahway, 6; Orange, 7; Hackensack, 8; Haverstraw, 9.

LEMEN Bros. (Frost Lemen, Mgr.)—Springfield, Ill., May 14.

LEE Brothers' Circus—Apparrong, R. I., Apr. 29; Natick, 30; Thornton, May 1; Manton, 2; Auburn, 4; South Providence, 5; Todswatton, 6; Phillipsdale, 7; Riverside, 8; Warren, 9.

LOWANDE (Tony) Shows—Enroute in South America.

MILES Orton Shows—Nicholasville, Tenn., Apr. 29; Sadieville, 30; Williamstown, May 1; Walton, 2; Ludlow, 3.

MORGAN'S J. H. Vaudeville Circus—Eldorado, Ill., Apr. 29; Harrisburg, 30; Carriers Mills, May 1; Stone Front, 2-3; New Brunswick, 4; Lunnelhill, 5; Vina, 6; Belliknap, 7; Grand Chain, 8; Olmstead, 9-10; Mound City, 11.

MAIN'S Walter L. Shows—East Liverpool, O., Apr. 29; Steubenville, 30; McDonald, Pa., May 1; Wahsington, 2; Charleri, 4; Mt. Pleasant, 5; Jeannette, 6; Latrobe, 7; Johnstown, 8; Apollo, 9.

NORRIS & Rowe Shows (H. S. Rowe, Mgr.) Marysville, Cal., Apr. 29; Chico, 30.

ORRIN Bros.' Circus—City of Mexico, indef.

PAWNEE Bill's Wild West (Oscar Krause, Mgr.)—Opens Carnegie, Pa., May 2.

PUBILLONES No. 1—Havana, Cuba, indef.

PUBILLONES No. 2—Enroute in Cuba.

RENO & Almord's—Open Kankakee, Ill., May 2.

RINGLING Bros.—Marion, Ind., Apr. 29; Anderson, 30; Terre Haute, May 1; Decatur, Ill., 2; St. Louis, Mo., 4-9.

ROBINSON Shows (John A. Robinson, Mgr.) (Norwood) Cincinnati, O., Apr. 27-28; Cumminsville, 29; Covington, Ky., 30-May 1; Augusta, 2; Huntington, W. Va., 4; Ironton, O., 5; Portsmouth, 6; Circleville, 7.

SELLS-Downs Show (Martin Downs, Mgr.)—Brunswick, Mo., May 12.

TEETS Bros.—Newton, N. C., Apr. 29; Hickory, 30.

WELSH Bros. Shows—Lebanon, Pa., Apr. 29-30; Middletown, May 1; Columbia, 2.

WALLACE Shows (C. E. Cory, Mgr.)—Muncie, Ind., Apr., 29; Dayton, O., 30; Chillicothe, May 1; Portsmouth, 2; Wellston, 4.

YOUNGER-James Wild West (H. E. Allott, Mgr.)—Chicago, Ill., Apr. 25-May 2.

MIDWAY COMPANIES.

BAUSCHER Carnival Co.—Winter Quarters, Freeport, Ill.

CAPTAIN Collin's Carnival Co.—Winter Quarters, Hastings, Neb.

COSMOPOLITAN Carnival Co. (H. Snyder, Mgr.)—Malden, Mo., Apr. 27-May 2; Dexter, Mo. 4-9.

DIXIE Carnival Co. (Dana Thompson, Mgr.)—Franklin, Ky., Apr. 26-May 2; Glasgow, 3-9.

FERARI Bros.—Paducah, Ky., May 11-16.

GASKILL-Mundy-Levitt Carnival Co., (Eastern)—Raleigh, N. C., May 4-9.

GREAT London Carnival Co.—Paducah, Ky., May 11-16.

HATCH-Adams Carnival Co.—Washington, N. C., Apr. 27-May 2; Petersburg, Va., 4-9.

INDIANA Carnival Co.—Little Rock, Ark., Apr. 27-May 2; Malden, Mo. 11-16.

LAYTON Carnival Co.—East Radford, Va. Apr. 27-May 2.

ORIENAL Carnival Co.—Knoxville, Tenn., Apr. 27-May 2.

ORIGINAL De Kreko Bros.—Ft. Worth, Kan. indef.

PATTERSON & Brainerd Carnival Co.—Emporia, Kan., May 4-9.

SOUTHERN Carnival Co. (Nat Reiss, Mgr.)—Bakersfield, Cal., Apr. 27-May 2; Stockton, 4-9.

TENNESSEE Carnival Co.—Union Springs, Apr. 27-May 2.

WRIGHT'S Carnival Co.—Hopkinsville, Ky., Apr. 27-May 2; Bowling Green, 4-9.

WESTERN Carnival Co. (B. Hammond, Mgr.)—Winter Quarters, Roanoke, Va.

WILL S. Heck Carnival Co.—Roanoke, Va., May 4-9.

PERFORMERS DATES.

AMETA—(Orpheum) Kansas City, Mo., May 4-16.

BARR and Evans—(Castro) Lawrence, Mass., April 27-May 2.

BEAUX and Belles—(Orpheum) Kansas City, Mo., May 4-9.

BUOMAN and Adelle—(Olympic) Chicago, Ill., April 27-May 2.

BROWNING, Mr. and Mrs. Family—(Proctor's 23rd St.) New York City, April 27-May 2.

BAKER & Lynn—(Duquesne) Pittsburg, Pa., April 27-May 2.

BENTLEY Musical—(Nelson) Springfield, Mass., April 27-May 2.

BRYANT & Saville—(Howard) Boston, Mass., April 27-May 2.

BURKHART, Lillian—(Orpheum) Omaha, Neb., April 27-May 2.

BURTON and Brooks—(Haymarket) Chicago, Ill., April 27-May 2.

BRUNS & Nina—Appleton, Wis., April 27-May 2.

BURNS, Harry—Schnectady, N. Y., April 30-25; (Huber's Museum) 27-May 9.

BRUNS & Nina—Appleton, Wis., April 27-May 2; Green Bay, 4-9.

CARSON and Willard—(Hopkins) Memphis, Tenn., April 26-May 2.

COLE and Johnson—(Columbia) Cincinnati, O. April 27-May 2.

CRESSY Will and Dayne Blanche—(Keith's) Philadelphia, Pa., April 27-May 2.

CARLIN & Ross—(Sam T. Jack's) Chicago, Ill., April 26-May 2.

CORBETT, James J.—San Francisco, Cal., May 4-16.

CRESWELL W. P., (Bicycle Bill) Enroute with Bauscher Carnival Co. (See Midway Routes.)

CALDWELL, Anna—(Proctor's 5th Ave.) New York City, April 27-May 2.

CARROLL, Johnnie—(Chicago O. H.) Chicago, Ill., April 27-May 2.

CARLIN, Rose—(Star) Milwaukee, Wis., April 27-May 2.

CLARKE Wilfred & Co.—(Orpheum) Utica, N. Y., April 27-May 2.

CARLIN & Brown—(Pole's) Bridgeport, Conn., April 27-May 2.

DERENDA & Breen—(Grand O. H.) Indianapolis, Ind., April 27-May 2; (Columbia) Cincinnati, O., 3-9.

DEAGONS, Three—(Howard) Boston, Mass., April 27-May 2.

DUNCAN, A. O.—(Cook's O. H.) Rochester, N. Y., April 27-May 2; (Temple Wonderland) Detroit, Mich., 4-9.

DACEY, Chase & Ward—(Dewey) Oakland, Cal., April 27-May 2.

DYLLN, Bernard—(Orpheum)—Kansas City, Mo., April 20-May 2.

DAGWELL, Aurle—(Park) Youngstown, O., April 27-May 2.

DANDY, Jess—(Empire) Columbus, O., April 27-May 2.

DRESSLER, Marie—(Shea's) Buffalo, N. Y., April 27-May 2.

DAVIS & Mac Cauley—(Shea's) Buffalo, N. Y., April 27-May 2.

DAVIS and Macauley—(Pole's) Bridgeport, Conn., May 4-9.

DAY, Geo. W.—(Portland Theatre) Portland, Me., April 27-May 2.

DE WITT, Harry L.—(Chutes Park) Los Angeles, Cal., April 26-May 2.

DOYLE, Edward—(Proctor's 5th Ave.) New York, N. Y., April 27-May 2; (Pastor's) 4-9.

DE ACOS, The—Washington April 13-May 25.

DEMING, Arthur—(Orpheum) San Francisco, Cal., April 19-May 2.

DOHERTY Sisters—(Empire) Johannesburg, S. A., until July 31.

ESMOND Arrieta—(Tivoli) Buffalo, N. Y., April 27-May 2.

EVANS & Hopper,—New York, N. Y., April 16, indef.

ELINORE Sisters—(Pastor's) New York, N. Y., April 27-May 2.

ELDRIDGE Press—(Proctor's 23rd St.) New York City, April 27-May 2; (Proctor's) Newark, N. J., 4-9.

EMPIRE City Quartette—(Standard) St. Louis Mo., April 27-May 2.

ELDORA & Norine—(Proctor's) Albany, N. Y. April 27-May 2.

FIELDS, Fanny—(Tivoli and Oxford) London, England, April 13-May 25.

FRIEND, William & Co.—(Orphum) San Francisco, Cal., April 19-May 2.

FIELDS, W. C.—(Orpheum) Los Angeles, Cal., April 27-May 9.

FILSON and Errol—(O. H.) Chicago, April 27-May 2.

FLOOD Brothers—(Keith's) Boston, Mass., April 27-May 2.

FREDERICK Bros. & Burns—(Keith's)—Boston, Mass., April 27-May 2.

FRENCH Bros.—(Orpheum)—Omaha, Neb., April 27-May 2.

FISKE & McDonough—(Tony Pastor's) New York City, May 4-9.

FIELDS & Hanson—(Star)—Hamilton, Mich., April 27-May 2.

GRIFFITH & Feasley Comedy Bar and Juggling Act—Enroute with Barlow and Wilson's Minstrels.

GLADSTONE, Lotta.—(Olympic) Chicago, Ill., May 4-9.

GARRISON, Jules & Ella—(Duquesne) Pittsburg, Pa., April 27-May 2.

GREVE & Green—(Star)—Milwaukee, Wis., April 27-May 2.

GRAY, Edward—(Grand O. H.) Wheeling, W. Va., April 27-May 2.

GODFREY Hall & Co.—Providence, R. I., April 27-May 2; (Hyde & Behman's) Brooklyn, N. Y., 4-9.

GARDNER and Vincent—(Orpheum) Omaha, Neb., May 4-9.

GENARO and Bailey—(Avenue) Pittsburg, Pa., April 27-May 2.

HARRINGTON, Robert—(Lion Palace) New York, N. Y., April 27-May 2.

HASKELL, Loney—(Main St. Theatre) Peoria Ill., April 27-May 2.

HAYES, Edmund—(Empire) Columbus, O., April 27-May 2.

HUNTINGTON, Wright and Co.—(Columbia) St. Louis, Mo., April 27-May 2.

HICKEY & Nelson—(Chicago O. H.) Chicago, Ill., April 27-May 2.

HELENA, Edith—(H. & B.) Brooklyn, N. Y., May 4-10.

HAMILTON & Wiley—(Mascot) Galveston, Tex., April 20-May 16.

HARRY and Gertrude Cycle Whirling Bartous—Enroute with Orrin Bros. Circus touring Mexico.

HOWARD, Bert—Enroute with Primrose & Dockstadter's Minstrels.

JOHNSON, Carroll—(Masonic) Louisville, Ky. April 27-May 2.

JOHNSTONS Musical—(Proctor's) Newark, N. J., April 27-May 2.

JONES & Sutton—Boston, Mass., April 27-May 2.

KLEIN, Ott Bros. and Nickerson—(Chicago O. H.) Chicago, Ill., April 27-May 2.

KELLY & Kent—(Olympic)—Chicago, Ill., April 27-May 2.

KEATON'S Three—(Chicago O. H.) Chicago, Ill., April 27-May 2.

KELCY, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred—(Park) Youngstown, O., April 27-May 2.

LITCHFIELD, Mr. and Mrs. Neil—(Jeffer's) Saginaw, Mich., April 27-May 2; (Proctor's) New York City, 11-16.

LAUDER and Stanly—(Pole's) Waterbury, Conn., April 27-May 2.

LEWIS and Ryan—(Temple) Detroit, Mich., April 27-May 2.

LAWRENCE, Al.—(O. H.) Indianapolis, Ind., April 27-May 2; (Columbia) Cincinnati, O., 4-9.

LITTLEFIELD, Charles—(Keith's) Boston, Mass., April 27-May 2.

MEREDITH Sisters—(Arcade) Toledo, O., April 27-May 2.

MACK, John and Carrie—(Tivoli) Buaffio, N. Y., April 27-May 2.

MURPHY & Andrews—(Keith's) Boston, Mass., April 27-May 2.

MAC and Mac—Onsening, N. Y., April 27-May 2.

MERVILLE Booth and Elnore—(Chicago O. H.) Chicago, Ill., April 27-May 2.

MASON-Keeler Co.—(Orpheum) Los Angeles, Cal., April 26-May 2; Papinta's Beach, Cal., 4-9.

MORTON, James J.—(Circle) New York City, April 27-May 2; (Orpheum) Brooklyn, 4-9.

MORTON Family—(Keith's) Boston, Mass., April 27-May 2.

NEWELL & Niblo—(Haymarket) Chicago, Ill., Apirl 27-May 2; (Columbia) St. Louis, Mo., 4-9.

NORTON Talkatine Miss—(Proctor's 23rd St.) New York, N. Y., April 27-May 2.

POWERS and Theobald—San Francisco, Cal., April 6-May 2.

RAYMOND and Caverly—(Orpheum) Omaha, Neb., April 27-May 2.

RIAL, VIRA—(Orpheum) Los Angeles, Cal., April 27-May 9.

ROME and Ferguson—(Dewey) Oakland, Cal., April 20-May 3.

ROYLE, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Milton—(Colonial) Cleveland, O., April 27-May 2.

RYAN & Richfield,—(Bon Ton) Jersey City, N. J., April 27-May 2; (H. & S.) New York City, 4-9.

RAIMUND & Vack—(Temple) Louisville, Ky., April 26-May 2.

SCHRODES Two—(Mechanic's Hall) Salem, Mass., April 27-May 2.

SISTERS Meredith—(Arcade) Toledo, O., April 27-May 2.

SMIRE and Kessner—(Pastor's) New York, N. Y., April 27-May 2.

SWICKARD, Mr. and Mrs.—(Orpheum) Utica, N. Y., April 27-May 2.

SYMONDS, Lottie West—(Chicago O. H.) Chicago, Ill., April 27-May 2.

SCOTT & Howard—(Orpheum)—New York, N. Y., April 27-May 2.

SNYDER & Buckley—(Orpheum) San Francisco, Cal., April 27-May 2; Los Angeles, 4-11.

SCOTT Bros.—(Chicago O. H.) Chicago, Ill., April 27-May 2; (Hopkins) Louisville, Ky., 3-9.

THORNE, Mr. and Mrs. Harry—(Orpheum) Brooklyn, N. Y., April 27-May 2.

TEAL, Raymond—(Haymarket) Chicago, Ill., April 27-May 2.

VANHOUSENS, The—Kincade, Kan., April 28; Selma, 29; Centerville, 30.

VANCE, Clarice—(Keith's) Boston, Mass., April 27-May 2.

VICE & Viola—(Tivoli) Buffalo, N. Y., April 27-May 2.

VAN Billy—(Shea's) Buffalo, N. Y., April 27-May 2.

WARREN & Blanchard—(Shea's) Buffalo, N. Y., April 27-May 2.

WOLFE, Kittie—(Shea's) Buffalo, N. Y., Apr. 27-May 2.

WARSAW Bros.—(Columbia) St. Louis, Mo., April 27-May 2.

WALLER & Magill—(Empire) Baltimore, Md. April 27-May 2.

WORLDS Comedy Four,—Chicago, Ill., April 27-May 2; Milwaukee, Wis., 4-9.

WATERBURY Brothers and Tenny—(Empire) Columbus, O., April 27-May 2.

WESTON and Allen—(Chicago O. H.) Chicago Ill., April 27-May 2.

WESTON and Raymond—(Grand O. H.) Indianapolis, Ind., May 4-9.

WINTERS Winona—(Avenue) Pittsburg, Pa., May 11-16.

Wosses Five—(Music Hall) Boston, Mass., April 27-May 2; (Waldman's) Newark, N. J., 4-9.

DRAMATIC.

ALASKA, (Lincoln J. Carter's)—Cleveland, O., April 27-May 2. Season closes.

ARIZONA, (James H. Palser, Mgr.)—Akron, O., April 29; Canton, 30; Erie, Pa., May 1; Niagara Falls, 2; Buffalo, 4-9.

AT the Old Cross Roads, (Arthur C. Alston, Mgr.)—Newark, N. J., April 27-May 2; Brooklyn, 4-9.

A Ruined Life, (R. L. Cresey, Mgr.)—Detroit, Mich., April 26-May 2; Richmond, Va., 4-9.

ALLEN Viola in The Eternal City, (Liebler & Co., Mgrs.)—Boston, Mass., April 27-May 2.

ARNOLD Stock, (J. F. Arnold, Mgr.)—Hinton, W. Va., April 27-May 2.

ARIZONA, Kirke La Shelle's; James H. Palser, Mgr.)—Akron, O., April 29; Canton, 30; Erie, Pa., May 1; Niagara Falls, N. Y., 2.

AT Cripple Creek, (Whitaker & Nash, Mgrs.)—Pittsburg, Pa., April 27-May 2.

AN Actor's Romance, (H. W. Taylor, Mgr.)—Pittsburg, Pa., April 27-May 2.

BARRYMORE, Ethel, in Carrots and The Country Mouse, (Chas. Frohman, Mgr.)—Chicago, Ill., April 20-May 2.

BENNETT & Moulton, (Ira Newhall, Mgr.)—Brattleboro, Vt., April 27-May 2.

BENNETT & Moulton, (A. P. Reed, Mgr.)—Asbury Park, N. J., April 27-May 2.

BEN Hur, (Klaw & Erlanger, Mgrs.)—Springfield, Mass., April 27-May 2.

BOY of the Street, (Joseph Santry)—Jersey City, N. J., April 27-May 2.

BLANCH Bates in The Darling of the Gods, (David Belasco, Mgr.)—New York City, March 9, indef.

BINGHAM, Amelia, in The Frisky Mrs. Johnson, (W. A. McConnell, Mgr.)—New York, Feb. 9, indef.

BLAIR, Eugenie, in Zaza, (Henry Cressit, Mgr.)—Cleveland, O., April 13, indef.

BENNETT, Moulton, (Geo. K. Robinson, Mgr)—Brattleboro, Vt., April 27-May 2.

BURGLAR and The Waif—Chicago, Ill., April 26-May 2; Akron, O., 4-6; Cleveland, 7-8; Dayton, 11-13.

BALDWIN, Mellville Repertory, (Walter S. Baldwin, Mgr.)—Buffalo, N. Y., April 13, indef.

BANDIT and Cattle King, (Wallick's; W. H. Oviatt, Mgr.)—Buffalo, N. Y., April 27-May 2.

BONNIE Brier Bush—Halifax N. S., April 27-May 2; Bangor Me., 4-5; Augusta, 6; Bath, 7; Portland, 8-9.

BANDIT and Cattle King, (Wallick's; W. H. Oviatt, Mgr.)—Buffalo, N. Y., April 27-May 2; Toronto, 4-9.

CARNER Stock, (Harry L. Webb, Mgr.)—Niagara Falls, N. Y., May 11, indf.

CRANE, Wm. H. in David Harum—San Francisco, Cal., April 27-May 9.

CARTER, Mrs. Leslie, in Du Barry, (David Belasco, Mgr.)—Chicago, Ill., March 24-May 16.

COWBOY and the Lady, (Edward H. Laffe, Mgr.)—Kalamazoo, Mich., April 29; Battle Creek, 30; Youngstown, O., May 2.

CARTER, Mrs. Leslie, in Du Barry, (David Belasco, Mgr.)—Chicago, Ill., April 20-May 16.

COOK-Church Stock, (H. W. Taylor, Mgr.)—Pittsburg, Pa., April 27-May 2; Meadville, 4-9.

CROSMAN, Henrietta, in The Sword of the King, (Maurice Campbell, Mgr.)—Kansas City, Mo., April 27-May 2.

CAMPBELL, Mrs. Patrick Repertory, (Chas. Frohman, Mgr.)—Vancouver, B. C., April 30; New Whatcomb, Wash., May 1; Seattle, 2.

COGHLAN, Rose, Repertory, (Jules Murry, Mgr.)—Helena, Mont., April 29; Livingston, 30; Billings, May 1; Jamestown, N. D., 2.

CARPENTER, Frankie Repertory, (Jere Grady, Mgr.)—Brockton, Mass., April 27-May 2.

CASTLE Square Stock, (W. B. Sherman, Mgr)—Virden, Man., April 30-May 2.

CONVICT'S Daughter, (Eastern; Geo. Samuels Wesley B. Schram, Mgr.)—Philadelphia, Pa., April 27-May 2.

CHARITY Nurse, (Henck & Fennessy's)—St. Louis, Mo., April 27-May 2.

DOTY Earle in The Iron Mask, (J. B. Mac Elroy, Mgr.)—Muskegon, Mich., April 29; Big Rapids, 30; Alma, May 1; Saginaw, 2.

DE Vonde Chester, (Phil Levy, Mgr.)—Cincinnati, O., April 26-May 2.

DAVIDSON Stock, (E. A. Davidson, Mgr.)—Lebanon, Pa., April 27-May 2.

DESPERATE Chance (Forrester & Mittenthal) Montreal, Can., April 27-May 2; Worcester, Mass., 4-9.

DARKEST Hour, (Lincoln J. Carter's)—Fargo N. D., April 29; Grafton, 30; Winnepeg, Man., May 1; Grand Forks, N. D., 2.

DOWN by the Sea, (Phil Hunt, Mgr.)—Manchester, N. H., April 30-May 2.

DESPERATE Chance, (Forrester & Mittenthal Mgrs.)—Montreal, Can., April 27-May 2.

DEFENDING Her Honor, (William Wood & James A. Blake, Mgrs.)—Elizabeth, N. J., Apr. 27-29; Easton, Pa., May 2.

DENVER Express, (Western; Blanche Hazelton)—St. Louis, Mo., April 26-May 2.

DENVER Express, (Eastern)—Philadelphia, Pa., April 27-May 2.

DREW, John, in The Mummy and the Humming Bird, (Charles Frohman, Mgr.)—New York City, April 20-May 2.

DE Wolfe, Elsie, in Cynthiana—New York City, March 16; indef.

DEVIL'S Auction—Halifax, N. S., April 27-30; St. John, N. B., May 1-3.

DODGE, Sanford—Alliance, Neb., April 28-29; Crawford, 30; Chaldron, May 1-2.

DYFFRYN, Ethel, (Ens. Dyffryn, Mgr.)—Chelsea, Mass., April 27-May 2; Augusta, Me., 4-9.

DILGER-Cornell Repertory—Tarrytown, N. Y. April 27-May 2; Kingston, 4-9.

EDESON, Robert, in The Soldiers of Fortune, (Henry B. Harris, Mgr.)—Dover, N. H., April 29; Portsmouth, 30; Walden, Mass., May 1; Lynn, 2.

EMPIRE Theatre Stock in The Unforseen, (Chas. Frohman, Mgr.)—New York City, March 30, indef.

EVANS & Ward Stock, (Edward F. Evans, Mgr.)—Bridgeport, O., March 9, indef.

EARL of Pawtucket, (Kirk La Shelle, Mgr.)—New York City, March 23, indef.

EVIL Eye, (Yale & Ellis, Mgrs.)—Plattsburg, N. Y., April 29; Odgensburg, 30; Watertown, May 1; Oswego, 2.

ELEVENTH Hour, (Eastern; Lincoln J. Carter's)—Ottawa, Can., April 27-May 2.

EWING-Taylor Co.—Chillicothe, Mo., April 27-May 2; Keokuk, Ia., 11-16.

FISCHER, Alice, in Mrs. Jack, (Henry B. Harris, Mgr.)—St. Louis, Mo., April 26-May 2; Springfield, Ill., 4; Decatur, 5; Danville, 6; Crawfordsville, Ind., 7; Lafaytte, 8; Ft. Wayne, 9.

FOR Her Sake, (Eastern; E. J. Carpenters; Joseph Pilgrim, Mgr.)—Ironton, O., April 28; Wellston, 29; Gloucester, May 1; Nelsonville, 2; McConnellsville, 4; New Philadelphia, 5; Massillion, 6; East Liverpool, 7; Salem, 8; Youngstown, 9.

FAVERSHAM, Wm., in Imprudence, (Chas. Frohman, Mgr.)—Wheeling, W. Va., April 29; Youngstown, O., 30; Akron, May 1; Erie, Pa., 2.

FRENCH, Irving Repertory, (Don MacMillon, Mgr.)—Mansfield, O., April 27-29; Findlay, 30-May 2.

FENBERG Stock, (Geo. W. Fernberg, Mgr.)—Saratoga, N. Y., April 28-May 2.

FRANKLIN Stock, (A. A. Jack, Mgr.)—Montague, Mich., April 27-29; Allegan, 30-May 2.

FOR Her Children's Sake, (Bernard Thornton, Mgr.)—Columbus, O., April 27-29; Dayton, 30-May 2.

FATAL Wedding, (Sullivan, Harris & Woods)—Helena, Mont., April 30; Great Falls, May 1; Boulder, 2.

FLEMING, Miss Mamie, in Repertoire, (W. H. Gracey, Mgr.)—Plainfield, N. J., April 27-May 2; Philadelphia, 4, indef.

GARRICK Theatre, (Wm. P. Taylor, Mgr.)—White River Jct., N. H., April 27-May 2; Bethel 4-9; Northfield, 11-16.

GOODWIN Elliott Co., (Geo. J. Appleton, Mgr.)—South Bend, Ind., April 29; Terre Haute 30; Evansville, May 1; Lexington, Ky., 2; Cleveland, O., 4-9.

GREENE, Francis Repertory—Lake Nebagamon, Wis., April 27-May 2; Two Harbors, 4-9.

GARSIDE Condit and Mack Stock—York, Pa., April 27-May 2; New Brunswick, N. J., 4-9.

GENTRY Stock, (Gentry & Coffey, Mgrs.)—Richmond, Ind, April 27-May 2.

GLICK Stock Co.—St. Mary's, O., April 20-May 2.

GILMORE, Paul, in Tyranny of Tears, (Jules Murry, Mgr.)—Ithaca, N. Y., April 29; Binghamton, 30; Wilkesbarre, Pa., May 1; Scranton, 2.

GAGNON Pollock Stock, (Bert C. Gagnon, Mgr.)—Dallas, Tex., April 27-May 2.

GORMAND & Ford Repertory—Monticello, N. Y., April 27-May 2.

GAMBLER'S Daughter (Eastern; R. L. Cresey Mgr.)—Stratford, Can., April 30; Port Huron, Mich., May 1.

GAMBLER'S Daughter, (Western; R. L. Cresey, Mgr.)—Louisville, Ky., April 27-May 2.

GO-WON-GO Mohawk—Chicago, Ill., April 30-May 10.

GASKELL Stock, (Wm. F. Gaskell, Mgr.)—La Crosse, Wis., April 27-May 2.

GRACE George in Pretty Peggy, (Wm. A. Brady, Mgr.)—New York City, March 30, indef.

GIRL With the Green Eyes, (Clara Bloodgood; Charles Frohman, Mgr.)—New York City, March 9, indef.

HAWTREY, Charles, in A Message from Mars (Chas. Frohman, Mgr.—New York City indef.

HAYWARD, Grace, (Dick Ferris, Mgr.)—Minneapolis, Minn., March 16, indef.

HIMMELEIN Stock Co.—Detroit, Mich., May 23, indef.

HALL of Fame, (Cliff McGregor, Mgr.)—Columbus, Miss., indf.

HUTCHINSON Imperial Stock—Butte, Mont., Feb. 25, indef.

HEARTS of Oak, (Wm. B. Gross, Mgr.)—Uniontown, Pa., April 29; Connellsville, 30; Johnstown, May 1; Altoona, 2.

HACKETT, James K., in The Crisis—Chicago, Ill., April 27-May 9.

HOLLAND, Mildred, in The Lily and the Prince, (Edward C. White, Mgr.)—Woonsocket, R. I., April 30; Putnam, Conn., May 1; Willmantic, 2.

HILLMAN, Maude Repertory, (Archie L. Sheppard, Mgr.)—Norristown, Pa., April 27-May 2.

HIMMELEIN'S Ideals, (John A. Himmelein, Mgr.)—Niagara Falls, N. Y., April 27-May 2.

HUNT Stock, (M. A. Hunt, Mgr.)—Traverse City, Mich., April 27-May 2.

HEART of Maryland, (David Belasco, Mgr.)—Baltimore, Md., April 27-May 2.

HEARTS of Gold, (R. A. Johnson, Mgr.)—Akron, O., April 29; Warren, 30; Youngstown, May 1; Newcastle, Pa., 2.

HOWARD DORSET, (Oliver Martel, Mgr.)—Muncie, Ind., April 27-May 2; Joliet, Ill., 3-9.

HUMAN Hearts, (Southern; Harry Penny-

packer, Mgr.)—London, O., April 28; Janesville, 30; Cambridge, May 1; Steubenville, 2; New Castle, Pa., 5; Youngstown, O., 6; Greensburg, Pa., 8; Johnstown, 9.

IN the Shadow of the Night—New York City, April 27-May 2.

JAMES Boys in Missouri, (Frank Gazzolo, Mgr.)—Pittsburg, Pa., April 27-May 2; Buffalo, N. Y., 4-9.

JEFFERSON, Joseph—Richmond, Va., May 2; Norfolk, 2; New York City, 4-16.

JEFFERSON, Thomas, in Rip Van Winkle, (Charles B. Jefferson, Mgr.)—Erie, Pa., April 29; Ashtabula, O., 30; Titusville, Pa., May 1; Oil City, 2.

JANICE Meredith, (Wm. Bonelli & Rose Stahl)—Winona, Minn., April 30; Fairbault, May 1; Mankato, 2; St. Paul, 3-9.

JANICE Meredith, (Wm. Bonelli and Rose Stahl)—St. Paul, Minn., April 26-May 2.

JAMES Boys in Missouri, (Western; Frank Gazzolo, Mgr.)—Centralia, Ill., April 29; Pana, 30; Paris, May 1; Crawfordsville, Ind., 2.

KEYSTONE Dramatic, (Western; McGill & Shipman, props.; Will M. Carroll, Mgr.)—Charleston, W. Va., April 27-May 2; Portsmouth, O., 4-9.

KELLAR, Magician, (Dudley McAdow, Mgr.)—Philadelphia, Pa., April 20-May 9.

KINSEY Komedy Ko., (W. L. Kinsey, Mgr.)—Cameron, W. Va., April 27-May 2.

KARROLL Dot, (J. C. Welsh, Mgr.)—Hudson, N. Y., April 27-29; Catskill, 30-May 2.

KING of Detectives, (Sullivan, Harris & Woods; J. Isaacs, Mgr.)—Wilkesbarre, Pa., Apr. 27-29; Scranton, 30-May 2.

KIDNAPPED in New York (Barney Gilmore; Harry Montgomery, Mgr.)—Montreal, Can., Apr. 27-May 2.

LILLIAN Lyons Stock, (Dean & Ketchum, Mgrs.)—Saranac, Mich., April 27-May 2; Ionia, 4-9. X

LANGTRY, Mrs. Lilly, in Mlle. Mars, (Charles Frohman, Mgr.)—Boston, Mass., April 20-May 2.

LA Moyne, Mrs., in Among Those Present, (Geo. H. Brennan, Mgr.)—Hamilton, Can., May 2.

LONDALE Theatre, (Hal Barber, Mgr.)—Council Bluffs, Ia., April 26-May 2.

LITTLE Lord Fauntleroy—New York City, April 20, indef.

LITTLE Princess, (Willie James; C. B. Dillingham, Mgr.)—Washington, D. C., April 27-May 2.

LITTLE Church Around the Corner, (Vance & Sullivan, Mgrs.)—Minneapolis, Minn., April 26-May 2.

LORD Strathmore—Montreal, Can., April 27-May 2.

LOOPING the Loop, (Alfred T. Wilton, Mgr.)—Poughkeepsie, N. Y., April 29; Trenton, N. J., 30; Atlantic City, May 1; Wilmington, Del., 2.

LILLIAN Lyons Stock, (Dean & Ketchum, Mgrs.)—Saranac, Mich., April 27-May 2; Otsego, 4-9.

MYRKLE-Harder Stock—Lafayette, Ind., Apr. 27-May 2; Terre Haute, 4-9.

MATHES, Clara—Sacramento, Cal., April 13-May 2.

MANTELL, Robert B., (M. W. Hanley, Mgr)—New Haven, Conn., April 27-29; Hartford, May 1-2.

MACK, Wilbur, (Billy Stanford, Mgr.)—Johnstown, Pa., April 27-May 2; Altoona, 4-9.

MARKS Bros., (Tom Marks, Mgr.)—Jackson, Mich., April 27-May 2; Battle Creek, 4-9.

MARLOWE, Julia, in The Cavalier, (C. B. Dillingham, Mgr.)—St. Louis, Mo., April 27-May 2; Chicago, Ill., 4-23.

MISSOURI Girl, (Western; Harry S. Hopping, Mgr.)—Kansas City, Mo., April 26-May 2.

MAN to Man, (Butterfield & Bromilow, Mgrs)—Danville, Conn., April 29; Bridgeport, 30-May 1; S. Norwalk, 2.

MACK, Andrew, (Rich & Harris, Mgrs.)—Chicago, Ill., April 13-May 9.

MILLER, Henry, in The Taming of Helen (Charles Frohman, Mgr.)—New York City, Mch. 30, indef.

MANSFIELD, Richard, Repertory, (Lyman B. Grover, Mgr.)—Omaha, Neb., April 28-29; Lincoln, 30; Sioux City, Ia., May 1; Dubuque, 2.

MARY Mannering in The Stubbornness of Geraldine, (Frank McKee, Mgr.)—Denver, Col., April 27-May 2.

MACK, Andrew, in Arrah-na-Pogue, (Rich & Harris, Mgrs.)—Chicago, Ill., April 20-May 9.

MANN, Louis, in All on Account of Eliza, (W. D. Yager, Mgr.)—Boston, Mass., April 27-May 2.

MURRAY & Mackey Repertory, (John J. Murray, Mgr.)—Amsterdam, N. Y., April 27-May 2.

McDONALD Stock, (C. W. McDonald, Mgr.)—Rogers, Ark., April 27-May 2.

MANHATTAN Stock, (Herald Kelley, Mgr.)—Barnesville, O., April 27-29; Cambridge, 30-May 2.

MISSOURI Girl, (Western; Harry S. Hopping, Mgr.)—Kansas City, Mo., April 26-May 2.

NEW York Imperial Stock, (Newhall & Carnes, Mgrs.)—Ashland, Pa., April 27-May 2.

OVER Niagara Falls—Milwaukee, Wis., April 26-May 2; South Chicago, 3-9.

ON the Stroke of Twelve—Newark, N. J., April 27-May 2; Washington, 4-9.

OUR New Minister, (Miller & Conyers, Mgrs)—Stockton, Cal., April 30; San Jose, May 1; Oakland, 2-3; Sacramento, 4-6; Portland, Ore., 7-9.

O'NEIL, Nance, (McKee Rankin, Mgr.)—Kansas City, Mo., April 27-May 3; St. Louis, Mo., 4-9.

OLD Arkansaw, (Will F. Lindsey, Mgr.)—El Reno, Okla., April 29; Kingfisher, 30; Perry, May 1; Ponca, 2.

ONE of the Bravest, (Charles McCarthy)—Brooklyn, N. Y., April 27-May 2.

OLCOTT, Chauncey, in Old Limerick Town, (Augustus Piton, Mgr.)—New Britain, Conn., April 29; Waterbury, 30; New Haven, May 1; Bridgeport, 2.

OLD Homestead with Denman Thompson, (Frank Thompson & W. I. Kilpatrick, Mgrs.)—Lebanon, N. H., April 29; Claremont, 30; Concord, May 1; Keene, 2.

ONLY a Shop Girl, (H. H. Winchell, Mgr.)—New York City, April 27-May 2.

O'NEILL, James—Duluth, Minn., April 28-29; Ashland, Wis., 30; Calumet, Mich., May 1; Hancock, 2.

OUR New Minister, (Miller & Conyers, Mgrs)—Los Angeles, Cal., April 27-29; Stockton, 30; San Jose, May 1; Oakland, 2-3.

PAIGE, Mabel, (Henry F. Willard & Co., Mgrs.)—Newport News, Va., March 23, indef.

PENNSYLVANIA, (C. S. Callahan, Mgr.)—Chicago, Ill., April 26-May 2; Detroit, Mich., 3-9.

PIKE Stock Co., (David Hunt, Mgr.)—Detroit, Mich, indef.

PHELAN, E. V. Stock, (Ralph A. Ward, Mgr)—Lancaster, Pa., April 27-May 2.

PAYTON Corse Comedy, (J. F. Macauley, Mgr.)—New London, Conn., April 27-May 2.

PAYTON Sisters Comedy, (J. N. Montgomery, Mgr.)—Danville, Va., April 27-May 2.

POWER of the Cross, (Garland Gaden; Rush & Weber, Mgrs.)—Camden, N. J., April 30-May 2.

POOR Relation, (Horace Lewis; Fred. G. Berger, Mgr.)—Worcester, Mass., April 27-May 2.

QUEEN of the Highway, (James H. Wallick's; W. McGowan, Mgr.)—Philadelphia, Pa., April 27-May 2.

RUSSELL, Annie, in Mice and Men, (Charles Frohman, Mgr.)—New York City, April 20-May 2.

ROBSON, Stuart, in The Comedy of Errors, (D. V. Arthur, Mgr.)—Cleveland, O., April 30-May 2.

ROBSON Theatre No. 1—Pensacola, Fla., Apr. 20-May 2.

REAL Widow Brown, (A. I. Scammon, Mgr.)—Caribou, Me., April 29; Woodstock, N. B., 30; Fredericton, May 1.

RYAN, Daniel R., (W. S. Bates, Mgr.)—St. Johns, N. B., April 13-May 2.

ROBERTS, Florence, (Belasco & Thall, Mgrs.)—Los Angeles, Cal., April 19-May 16.

RUSSELL, Annie, in Mice and Men, (Chas. Frohman, Mgr.)—New York City, March 16, indef.

ROMEO and Juliet, (Liebler & Co., Mgrs.)—Detroit, Mich., April 30; Columbus, O., May 1; Milwaukee, Wis., 2; St. Louis, Mo., 4-5; Indianapolis, Ind., 6; Cincinnati, 7; Lexington, Ky., 8; Louisville, 9.

RAGGED Hero, (W. J. Fielding, Mgr.)—Cincinnati, O., April 26-May 2; Toledo, 3-6; Detroit Mich., 10-16.

SHANNONS, The, (Harry Shannon, Mgr.)—Washington, Ind., April 27-May 1; Decatur, Ill., 11-16.

SANDY Bottom, (Hampton & Hopkins, Mgrs.)—Kansas City, Mo., April 26-May 2; St. Louis, 3-9.

SWEET Clover, (Thayer and Justice, Mgrs.)—Houston, Tex., April 30; San Antonio, May 1; Austin, 2; Waco, 4; Corsicana, 5; Dallas, 6; Denison, 7; Gainesville, 8; Fort Worth, 9.

SPOONER Dramatic, (F. E. and Allie; W. Dick Harrison, Mgr.)—Palestine, Tex., April 27-May 2.

SHORE Acres, (William B. Gross, Mgr.)—New York, N. Y., April 27-May 2.

SHERMAN Comedy Repertory, (R. H. Smith, Mgr.)—Bloomington, Ind., April 25-May 2.

SWEET Sixteen, (Wills Bros., Mgrs.)—Scranton, Pa., April 27-29; Wilkesbarre, 30-May 1.

SKINNER, Otis, in Lazarre—Washington, D. C., April 27-May 2.

SPOONER, Cecil, in My Lady Peggy Goes to Town—Newark, N. J., April 27-May 2.

YORK State Folks, (F. E. Wright, Mgr.)—Chicago, Ill., April 26-May 2, indef.

SOTHERN, E. H., in If I Were King—Worcester, Mass., April 29; Providence, R. I., 30; Northampton, Mass., 4; Springfield, 5; Hartford, Conn., 6; New Haven, 7; North Adams, 8; Troy, N. Y., 9.

SHEA, Thomas E., Repertory, (James Wall, Mgr.)—Bridgeport, Conn., April 27-29; Hartford, 30-May 2.

SHAYNE Stock, (Charles Thomas, Mgr.)—Phillipsburg, Pa., April 27-29; Renova, 30-May 2.

SIDE Tracked, (A. I. Scammon, Mgr.)—Waterville, Me., April 29; Skowhegan, 30; Pittsfield, May 1; Hartland, 2.

SIGN of the Cross, (Berger & Crearin, Mgrs.)—Washington, D. C., April 27-May 2.

THELMA, (Aiden Benedict's; L. S. Yeomans, Mgr.)—Crawfordsville, Ind., April 29; Danville, Ill., 30; Campaign, May 1.

THELMA, (H. J. Bernard, Mgr.)—St. Marys, W. Va., April 29; Steubnville, O., 30; Washington, Pa., May 1; Connellsville, 4; Waynesburg, 5; Mt. Pleasant, 7; Scottdale, 8; Johnstown, 9; Altoona, 11; Tyrone, 12.

THE Tenderfoot—Chicago, Ill., April 26-May 2, indef.

THURSTON, Adelaide, in At Cozy Corners, (Frank J. and Claxton Wilstach, Mgrs.)—Toronto, Ont., April 27-May 2; St. Catherines, 4; Hamilton, 5; Kingston, 6; Ottawa, 7-9.

TURNER, Clara Repertoire (Frank L. Miles, Mgr.)—Auburn, N. Y., May 4-9.

THE Peddler's Claim, (Henry B. Marks, Mgr.)—Lima, O., April 30; Alexandria, May 1; Louisville, 3-9

THE Mauxman—Duluth, Wis., April 28-29; Ashland, 30; Calumet, Mich., May 1; Hancock, 2.

THERE and Back, (Evans & Hopper)—New York City, April 20-May 2.

TRIP to Chinatown, (Saylor & Miller, Mgrs.)—Chicago, Ill., April 26-May 2.

UNCLE Tom's Cabin, (Eastern; L. W. Washburn, Mgr.)—Hawley, Pa., April 30; Port Jervis, N. Y., May 1; Middletown, 2.

UNCLE Tom's Cabin, (Northern; Harry Overton, Mgr.)—Milbank, S. D., April 29; Webster, 30; Groton, May 1; Aberdeen, 2.

VAN Dyke, Eaton, (H. Walter Van Dyke, Mgr.)—Racine, Wis., April 26-May 3; Janesville, 4-9.

VERNON Stock, (Benj. B. Vernon, Mgr.)—Liberty, N. Y., April 27-May 2; Ellenville, 4-9.

VESSIE Farrell Stock Co.—Pawnee, Okla., April 27-May 2; Guthrie, 4-9.

VAN Dyke & Eaton, (H. Walter Van Dyke,)—Racine, Wis., April 26-May 2.

VERNON Stock, (Benj. B. Vernon, Mgr.)—Liberty, N. Y., April 27-May 2.

WAS She to Blame, (J. G. Stuttz; Jed Carlton, Mgr.)—Logan, Ia., May 2; Blair, Neb., 4; Onaway, 6; Odebolt, Ia., 9.

WILLARD, E. S.—Buffalo, N. Y., April 27-May 2.

WHEN The Bell Tolls, (Traverse Vale & S. S. Simpson, Mgrs.)—Milwaukee, Wis., April 26-May 2; Chicago, Ill., 3-16.

WELSH, Joseph, in The Peddler—Troy, N. Y., April 30-May 2; Rochester, 4-6; Syracuse, 7-9.

WHEN Knighthood Was in Flower, (L. S. Taylor, Mgr.)—Anaconda, Mont., April 29; Fargo, N. D., May 1; Brainard, Minn., 2; St. Paul, 3-6; Minneapolis, 7-9.

WALSH, Blanche, in The Resurrection, (Wagenhals & Kemper, Mgrs,)—New York City, April 13-May 2.

WHEN Women Love—Providence, R. I., Apr. 28-May 2; Boston, Mass., 4-9.

WARFIELD, David, in The Auctioneer, (David Belasco, Mgr.)—Hartford, Conn., April 29; Meriden, 30; Waterbury, May 1; New Haven, 2.

WILSON, Al. H., in The Prince of Tatters, (Yale & Ellis, Mgrs.)—Mankato, Minn., April 29; Mason City, Ia., 30; Albert Lea, May 1; Winona, 4; Ean Claire, Wis., 5.

WINSTON, Laura Stock—Hebron, Neb., Apr. 27-29; Superior, 30-May 2.

WHY Women Sin—Hoboken, N. J., May 1-2.

YORK State Folks, (F. E. Morse, Mgr.)—Chicago, Ill., April 26-May 23.

YON Yonson, (P. J. Kennedy's; E. V. Giroux, Mgr.)—Boston, Mass., April 27-May 2.

MUSICAL.

ABORN Opera A, in the Serenade and Rob Roy—Cleveland, O., April 27-May 9.

ABORN Opera C, in The Highwayman and Ira Diavolo—Toronto, Can., April 27-May 9.

ABORN Opera D, Grand Opera Cast—Washington, D. C., April 4-9.

BLACK Patti Troubadours, (Voelckel & Nolan, Mgrs.)—Altoona, Pa., April 30; Reading, Pa., May 2; Philadelphia, 4-9.

BUTLER, Helen May, and Her Ladies Military Band, (J. Leslie Spahn, Mgr.)—Camden, S. C., April 30; Sumter, S. C., May 1; Florence, 2; Marion, 4; Darlington, 5; Bennettsville, 6; Fayetteville, 7; Raleigh, 8; Goldsboro, 9.

BROOKE'S Chicago Marine Band, (Bert A. Hall, Mgr.)—Chicago, Ill., indef.

CAHILL, Marie, in Nancy Brown, (D. V. Arthur, Mgr.)—New York City, March 30, indef.

Chaperons, (Frank L. Perley, Mgr.)—Cincinnati, O., April 26-May 2; St. Louis, Mo., 3-9. X

CASTLE Square Opera, (Henry W. Savage, Mgr.)—Milwaukee, Wis., April 13-May 9.

COUNTRY Girl, (J. C. Duff, Mgr.)—Boston, Mass., April 13-May 2.

CHINESE Honeymoon, (S. S. Shubert; Nixon & Zimmerman, Mgrs.)—Brooklyn, N. Y., April 27-May 2; Boston, Mass., 4, indef.

CHAPERONS, (Frank L. Perley, Mgr.)—Cincinnati, O., April 26-May 2.

CANADIAN Jubilee Singers, (W. I. Cary, Mgr.)—Scottstown, Quebec, May 2-3; Brampton Falls, 4; Coaticook, 5; Hatley, 6; Stanstead, 7.

DUSS Band, (J. S. Duss, conductor)—Scranton, Pa., April 29; Reading, 30; Washington, D. C., mat. and Baltimore, Md., May 1; Wilmington, N. C., 2.

DANIELS, Frank, in Miss Simplicity, (J. Louis White, Mgr.)—Boston, Mass., April 27-May 9.

FIDDLE-DEE-DEE, (John Krietner, Mgr.)—Bridgeport, Conn., April 30-May 2; Buffalo, N. Y., 4-9.

GIFFIN Musical Comedy—Norfolk, Va., Mar. 24, indef.

GRAU Grand Opera—Cincinnati, O., April 29-May 2.

GLASER, Lulu, in Dolly Varden, (F. C. Whitney, Mgr.)—Pittsburg, Pa., April 27-May 2.

GORDAN-Shay Opera, (J. Saunders Gordon, Mgr.)—Montreal, Can., April 27-May 2.

GLASER, Lulu, in Dolly Varden, (F. C. Whitney, Mgr.)—Pittsburg, Pa., April 27-May 2; New York City, 4-16.

HOPPER, DeWolf, in Mr. Pickwick, (E. R. Reynolds, Mgr.)—New York City, April 27-May 2.

KING Dodo, (Henry W. Savage, Mgr.)—Altoona, Pa., April 29; Johnstown, 30; Uniontown, May 1; Cumberland, Md., 2; Chicago, Ill., 3, indef..

KILTIES Band, (Cameron Brown, owner and president of tour; T. P. J. Power, director of tour)—Lancaster, Pa., April 30; Brooklyn, N. Y., May 1; Middletown, 4; Newburgh, 5; Catskill, mat. and Kingston, 6; Yonkers, 7; Fishkill-on-Hudson and Peekskill, 8; New York City, 9.

KING Dodo A, (Henry W. Savage, Mgr.)—Philadelphia, Pa., April 27-May 2; New York, N. Y., 4-9.

KNICKERBOCKER Girl, (Josephine Hall.)—Philadelphia, Pa., April 20, indef.

PEGGY from Paris, (Henry W. Savage, Mgr.)—Chicago, Ill., April 20-May 2.

PRINCE of Pilsen, (Henry W. Savage, Mgr.)—New York City, April 20, indef.

POWERS, James, in The Jewel of Asia, (Geo. W. Lederer, Mgr.)—Baltimore, Md., Apr. 27-May 2; Washington, D. C., 4-9.

PRINCESS Chic, (John P. Slocum, Mgr.)—Kingston, Can., April 30; Ottawa, May 1-2.

ROGERS Brothers in Harvard—Detroit, Mich., April 27-May 2.

ROYAL Opera—Quebec, Can., Feb. 2, indef.

SHOW Girl, (E. E. Rice, Mgr.)—Philadelphia, Pa., April 27-May 2.

SAN Toy—Biddeford, Me., April 30; Portland, May 1-2.

SILVER Slipper, (John C. Fisher, Mgr.)—Philadelphia, Pa., April 13, indef.

SYLVIA Marguerita in The Strollers, (Nixon & Zimmerman, Mgrs.)—Rockford, Wis., April 29; Belvidere, Ill., 30; South Bend, Ind., May 1; Sandusky, O., 2.

SLEEPING Beauty and the Beast, (Klaw & Erlanger, Mgrs.)—Boston, Mass., April 13-May 2.

SULTAN of Sulu, (Henry W. Savage, Mgr.)—New York City, March 23, indef.

THE Bostonians, (Chas. R. Bacon, Mgr.)—Worcester, Mass., April 30; Northampton, May 1; Albany, 2; Buffalo, 4-6; Niagara Falls, 7; Rochester, 8-9.

WILBUR Opera, (W. H. Fullwood, Mgr.)—Gloversville, N. Y., April 27-May 2; Utica, 4-9.

WIZARD of Oz, (Harry Hamlin, Mgr.)—New York City, March 23, indef.

WILSON, Francis, in The Toreador, (Nixon & Zimmerman, Mgrs.)—Rochester, N. Y., April 29-30; Ithaca, May 1; Syracuse, 2.

MINSTRELS.

AMERICAN Juvenile (J. S. Hoffman, Mgr.)—Delmar, Del., Apr. 29; Seaford, 30; Dover, May 1-2; Cambridge, Md., 4-5; Chatertown, 6; Milford, 8-9.

FIELD'S, Al. G., (R. J. Diegle, Mgr.)—Topeka, Kas., April 30; St. Joseph, Mo., May 1; Des Moines, Ia., 2; Davenport, 3; Burlington, 4; Hammond, Ind., 6; South Bend, 7; Port Huron, Mich., 8.

GIDEON'S, (Harry F. Curtis, Mgr.)—Bloomington, Ill., April 30; Galesburg, May 1; Ottawa, 2; Decatur, 4; Champaign, 5; Kankakee, 6.

HI Henry's—West Superior, Wis., April 29; Duluth, Minn., 30; Brainerd, May 1.

PRIMROSE & Dockstader's, (J. H. Decker, Mgr.)—Brooklyn, N. Y., April 27-May 2.

QUINLAN and Walls, (Dan Quinlan, Mgr.)—Oswego, N. Y., Apr. 29; Geneva, 30; Corming, May 1; Carbondale, Pa., 2; Wilkesbarre, 4; Scranton, 5; Owego, N. Y., 7.

VOGEL'S, John W., (John W. Vogel, Owner and Manager.)—Ionia, Mich., April 30; Charlotte, May 1; Battle Creek, 2; Jackson, 4; Lansing, 5; Flint, 6; Bay City, 7; Alpena, 8; Saginaw, 9.

FARCE-COMEDY.

ARE You A Mason? (Rich & Harris, Mgrs.)—Portland, O., April 30-May 2; Seattle, Wash., 3-5; Tacoma, 6; North Yakima, 7; Spokane, 8-9.

ALPHONSE and Gaston—Philadelphia, Pa., April 27-May 2.

A TEXAS Steer, (H. B. Emery.)—Indianapolis, Ind., April 30-May 2; Columbus, O., 4-6; Chicago, Ill., 10-16.

A MERRY Chase, (Lyman Twins)—Stroughton, Wis., April 29; Edgerton, 30.

A BUNCH of Keys, (Hoyt's; Gus Bothner, Mgr.)—Nashua, N. H., April 29; Portsmouth, May 1; Haverhill, 2.

BOLIVAR'S Busy Day—Buffalo, N. Y., April 27-May 2.

BREEZY Time, (Western; Merle H. Norton, Prop. and Mgr.)—Pittsfield, Ill., April 30; Jacksonville, May 1; Hillsboro, 2; Pana, 4; Shelbyville, 5; Arcola, 6; Grand Tower, 7; Paxton, 8.

BREEZY Time (S. T. Lester, Mgr.)—Portland, Ind., Apr. 30; Albany, May 1; Gas City, 2; Alexandria, 4; Noblesville, 5; Lebanon, 6; Lafayette, 7; Danville, Ill., 8; Hoopeston, 9.

COHANS, Four, in Running for Office, (Fred. Niblo, Mgr.)—New York City, April 27-May 9.

CARROLL Comedy, (Don Carroll, Mgr.)—Weston, W. Va., May 2.

CONROY & Mack's Comedians, (P. P. Craft, Mgr.)—Pittston, Pa., April 30-May 2; Honesdale, 4-6; Middletown, N. Y., 7-9.

FERRIS Comedians, (Harry Bubb, Mgr.)—Duluth, Minn., indef.

GODING Comedy , (O. M. Cotten, Mgr.)—Eaton Rapids, Mich., April 13, indef.

HOT Old Time, (Gus Hill's; Geo. A. Chenet, Mgr.)—Brooklyn, N. Y., April 27-May 9.

HELLO Bill, (Goodhue and Kellogg, Mgrs.)—Chicago, Ill., April 26-May 2.

HAPPY Hooligan, (Gus Hill's)—Providence, R. I., April 27-May 2; New York, N. Y., 4-9.

IRISH Pawnbrokers, (Joseph W. Spears, Mgr.)—Anniston, Ala., April 29; Birmingham, 30; Decatur, May 1; Columbia, Tenn., 2.

LYCEUM Comedy, (Al. S. Evans, Mgr.)—New Windsor, Ill., April 27-May 2.

MELVILLE, Rose, in Sis Hopkins, (J. K. Sterling, Mgr.)—Brooklyn, N. Y., April 27-May 9.

MURRAY & Mackey Comedy Co., (John J. Murray, Mgr.)—Amsterdam, N. Y., April 27-May 2; Newburgh, 4-9.

MURRAY Comedy—Cedar Rapids, Ia., April 27-May 2.

MALONEY'S Wedding Day, (James L. McCabe; Geo. A. Treyser, Mgr.)—Clinton, Ia., Apr. 29; Dixon, Ill., 30; Princeton, May 1; Kewanee, 2.

MICKEY Finn, (Perry and Watson; Charles F. Edwards, Mgr.)—Providence, R. I., April 27-May 2.

McFADDEN'S Row of Flats, (Thos. R. Henry, Mgr.)—Providence, R. I., April 27-May 2; Newark, N. J., 4-9.

NORTH Brothers Comedy—Des Moines, Ia., April 27-May 2.

OTHER People's Money, (May Sargent; E. L. Johnson, Mgr.)—Ashland, Ky., April 29; Huntington, W. Va., 30; Pomeroy, O., May 1; Gallipolis 2.

PECK'S Bad Boy, (Northern; L. J. French, Mgr. and Prop.)—Kankakee, Ill., April 30; Marseilles, May 1; Joliet, 2; Benton Harbor, Mich., 4; Three Rivers, 5; Coldwater, 6; Hudson, 7; Tecumseh, 8.

PICKINGS from Puck, (Willard Simms; Ollie Mack & Joseph M. Gates, Mgrs.)—Philadelphia, Pa., April 27-May 2.

ROYAL Lilliputians, (Gus Hill's; Daniel A. Kelly, Mgr.)—Jersey City, April 27-May 2; Boston, 4-9.

ROSAR & Mason's Comedians—Decatur, Ill., April 27-May 2.

UNCLE Josh Spruceby—Ashland, Wis., April 29; W. Superior, 30; Duluth, Minn., May 1-2.

BURLESQUE.

AMERICAN, (W. B. Matson, Mgr.)—Washington, D. C., April 27-May 2.

BOWERY, (Hurtig & Seamon's)—Rochester, N. Y., April 27-May 2.

BON Ton, (Ed. F. Rush, Mgr.)—Rochester, N. Y., April 27-May 2; Boston, Mass., 4-9.

BOHEMIAN'S, (Thomas W. Miner, Mgr.)—Toronto, Ont., April 27-May 2; Rochester, 4-9.

CITY Sports, (Phil. Sheridan, Mgr.)—Cleveland, O., April 27-May 2; Buffalo, N. Y., 4-9.

CRACKER Jacks, (Harry Leoni, Mgr.)—Paterson, N. J., April 27-May 2.

CITY Club, (Louis Harris, Mgr.)—Milwaukee, Wis., April 27-May 2.

DAINTY Duchess, (L. Lawrence Weber, Mgr.)—New York City, April 27-May 2; Newark, 4-9.

HIGH Rollers, (O. H. Woodhull, Mgr.)—New York, N. Y., until May 9.

IRWIN'S, Fred., Big Show—New York City, April 27-May 2.

INNOCENT Beauties—Columbus, O., April 27-29; Dayton, 30-May 1.

JOLLY Grass Widows', (Geo. W. Hogan, Mgr.)—Buffalo, N. Y., April 26-May 2; Toronto, Ont., 3-9.

KNICKERBOCKER'S, (Louis Robie, Mgr.)—Detroit, Mich., April 27-May 2; Cleveland, 4-9.

LAFAYETTE, The Great—Boston, Mass., Apr. 27-May 2; Newark, 4-9.

MERRY Maidens, (Jacobs & Lowery, Mgrs.)—New York City, April 27-May 2.

MISS New York, Jr., (Joe Oppenheimer, Mgr)—Grand Rapids, Mich., April 27-May 2; Adrian, 4; Lima, O., 5; Kenton, 6; Bellefontaine, 7; Springfield, 8; Hamilton, 9.

PARISIAN Widows, (L. Lawrence Weber, Mgr.)—New York, April 20-May 3.

REEVES, Al.—Indianapolis, Ind., April 27-May 2; St. Louis, Mo., 3-9.

RENTZ-Santley, (Abe Leavitt, Mgr.)—Boston, Mass., April 27-May 3; New York, 5-10.

RICE & Barton's Gaiety—New York City, April 27-May 10.

ROSE Hill's English Folly, (Rice & Barton, Mgrs.)—St. Paul, Minn., April 26-May 2.

ROSS & Fenton Big Show—San Francisco, Cal., April 20-May 2; Los Angeles, 4-16.

TRANS-Atlantic Extravaganza Co., (Hurtig & Seamon's)—Minneapolis, Minn., April 27-May 2; St. Paul, 3-9.

TIGER Lillies, (W. N. Drew, Mgr.)—Philadelphia, Pa., April 27-May 2.

TOPSY Turvy—Baltimore, Md., April 27-May 2.

TROCADERO Burlesquers—Chicago, Ill., Apr. 27-May 2; Milwaukee, Wis., 4-9.

THOROUGHBREDS, (Frank B. Carr, Mgr.)—St. Louis, Mo., April 27-May 2; Chicago, Ill., 3-9.

UTOPIANS, (T. W. Dinkins, Mgr.)—Cincinnati, O., April 26-May 2.

VANITY Fair, (Robert Manchester, Mgr.)—Lowell, Mass., April 30-May 2.

WINE, Woman and Song, (M. M. Theise, Mgr.)—Reading, Pa., April 27-29; Scranton, May 1-2.

WORLD Beaters, (Robie & Mack, Mgrs.)—Pittsburg, Pa., April 27-May 2; Cincinnati, O., 4-9.

MISCELLANEOUS.

COYLES Museum, (E. R. Coyles, Mgr.)—St. Louis, Mo., April 27-May 2.

FLINT, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert L.—Valparaiso, Ind., April 30-May 2; Elkhart, 4-9.

HELMS, Magician, (F. W. Brooks, Mgr.)—Champion, Mich., April 29-30; Ishpeming, May 1-2.

HERMAN, The Great, (E. Turner, Mgr.)—New York City, Feb. 25, indef.

HETTLER'S Royal Palmistry Co., (J. W. Hettler, Mgr.)—Stroughton, Wis., April 28-May 4..

KNOWLES Hypnotists, (Elmer E. Knowles, Mgr.)—Galveston, Tex., April 27-May 2; Beaumont, 4-9.

LINGERMAN, Sam, & Co., (White March Valley Park) Chestnut Hill, Pa., May 23-Sept. 30.

QUEEN Jenora's Gypsy Camp—Memphis, Tenn., April 27-May 10.

ROVING Bill's Gypsy Camp, (W. J. Armstrong, Mgr.)—Marshall, Tex., Dec. 28, indef.

SANDOW, Eugene—Detroit, Mich., April 27-May 2; Pittsburg, Pa., 4-9.

SHEDMAN'S Dogs—(Lima Park) Coney Island, N. Y., May 3, indef.

WOOD Wizard and Ventriloquist—En route through Mexico.

Parks.

No effort is spared to keep this list reliable and up-to-date. Readers will oblige us by bringing any errors or omissions to our notice.

AKRON, O.—Lake Side Park. Harry Hawn manager.
AKRON, O.—Randolph Park. Harry Hawn, manager.
AKRON, O.—Summit Lake Park. Menches Broos., managers.
AKRON, O.—The George. Harry A. Hawn, manager.
ALBANY, N. Y.—Lagoon Island. John F. Weber, manager.
ALBANY, N. Y.—Weber's Park.
ALBANY, N. Y.—Electric Park. E. M. Robison, manager.
ALBANY, N. Y.—Island Park. F. Bernstein, 41 S. Pearl St., Albany, N. Y., manager.
ALLENTOWN, PA.—Dorney Park. F. S. Kinsey, Manager.
ALLENTOWN, PA.—Central Park.
ALLENTOWN, PA.—Rittersville Park.
ALLENTOWN, PA.—Manhattan Park.
ALLENTOWN, PA.—Willow Grove Park.
ALTOONA, PA.—Wopsonock Park (near Altoona). Wopsononock Park and Hotel Co., 713 Drexel Bldg., Philadelphia, Pa.
ANNISTON, ALA.—Oxford Lake Park, Howard W. Sexton, manager.
ANSONIA, CONN.—Blue Rock Park.
ASHLAND, KY.—Clyffeside park. I. F. Arnold, manager.
ASHEVILLE, N. C.—Riverside Park. G. E. Clifton, manager.
ATCHISON, KAN.—Forest Park. J. A. Rendure, manager.
ATLANTA, GA.—Piedmont Park. Jake Wells, manager.
ATLANTA, GA.—Ponce de Leon Park. Wm. Sharp, manager.
ATLANTIC CITY, N. J.—Ocean City.
ATLANTIC CITY, N. J.—Guvernator's Pavilion. James Sheeran, Manager.
ATLANTIC CITY, N. J.—Inlet Pavilion. J. Mehrer, manager.
ATLANTIC CITY, N. J.—Columbia Garden.
ATLANTIC CITY, N. J.—Young's Pier. J. L. Young, manager.
ATLANTIC CITY, N. J.—Steel Pier. Mr. Bothwell, manager.
ATLANTIC CITY, N. J.—Auditorium Pier. Geo. Tilyou, manager.
ATTLEBORO, MASS.—Talaquega Park. E. M. Bevins, manager.
AUBURNDALE, MASS.—Norumbega Park. Carl Alberte, manager.
AUGUSTA, GA—Lake View Park. Jake Wells, manager.
AUGUSTA, GA.—Monte Sano Park. Jake Wells, manager.
AURORA, ILL.—Riverview Park.
AUSTIN, TEXAS.—Hyde Park Theatre. Besserer & Griffith, managers.
BALTIMORE, MD.—Hollywood Park. Jas. L. Kernan, manager.
BALTIMORE, MD.—River View Park. Jas. L. Kernan, manager.
BALTIMORE, MD.—Prospect Park. Grant Stockham, secretary.
BALTIMORE, MD.—Electric Park. L. H. Baker, manager.
BALTIMORE, MD.—Goeller's Back River Park. Frank Emmett, manager.
BALTIMORE, MD.—Tolchester Beach. Tolchester Co., manager.
BATH, ME.—Merrymeeting Park. New England PopCorn Co., lessees.
BATTLE CREEK, MICH.—Lake View Park.
BAXTER SPRINGS, KAN.—Reunion Park. C. E. Collins, manager.
BAY CITY MICH.—Winona Beach Park. L. W. Richards, manager.
BAYONNE, N. J.—Washington Park Casino. F. Bernstein, manager.
BEAVER FALLS, PA.—Junction Park. W. B. Callum, manager.
BELLOWS FALLS, VT.—Barber Park. John E. Brosnahan, manager.
BELVA, W. VA.—Beach Glen.
HENDERSONVILLE, N. C.—Pickens Park.
BERKSHIRE, MASS.—Berkshire Park. Street Railway Company, managers.
BERWINDALE, PA.—Mariposa Park. Mr. A. L. Pierce, manager.
BIDDEFORD, ME.—Old Orchard Park. Mr. German, manager.
BINGHAMTON, N. Y.—Casino Park. J. P. E. Clark, manager.
BINGHAMTON, N. Y.—Elm Garden.
BINGHAMTON, N. Y.—Ross Park J. P. E. Clark, manager.
BIRMINGHAM, ALA.—East Lake Park. Jake Wells, manager.
BIRMINGHAM, ALA.—Lake View. Jake Wells manager.
BOONE, IA.—Whitecomb Park. G. J. Prescott, manager.
BOSTON, MASS.—Crescent Park. W. H. O'Neill, manager.
BOSTON, MASS.—South Boston Pavilion. Wm. H. Neill, manager.
BRADFORD, PA.—Rock City Park.
BRANTFORD, ONT.—Mohawk Park.
BRIDGETON, N. J.—Tumbling Dam Park. H. L. Tyler, manager.
BRIDGEPORT, CONN.—Pleasure Park.
BRIDGEPORT, CONN.—Avon Park.
BRIGHTON, PA.—Junction Park. Beaver Valley Traction Co., manager.
BRISTOL, VA.—Clifton Park. Oliver Taylor, manager.
BRISTOL, CONN.—Lake Compounce. F. F. Shea & Co., managers.
BRISTOL, TENN.—Clifton Park. Oliver Taylor, manager.
BROOKLYN, N. Y.—Brighton Beach Music Hall. W. T. Grover, manager.
BROOKLYN, N. Y.—Ulmer Park.
BROOKLYN, N. Y.—Lagoon Island. John F. Weber, manager.
BRUNSWICK, ME.—Merrymeeting Park. L., B. & B. Ry. Co. M. I. Masson, general manager.
BRYANTVILLE, MASS.—Mayflower Grove.
BUCYRUS, O.—Seccalum Park. Harry Shunk, Manager.
BUFFALO, N. Y.—Crystal Beach. J. E. Rebstock, general manager.
BUFFALO, N. Y.—Elmwood Park.
BUFFALO, N. Y.—Leins Park.
BUFFALO, N. Y.—Olcott Beach. International Traction Company, managers. J. E. Stephenson.
BUFFALO, N. Y.—Fort Erie Beach. F. Nicholson, manager.
BURLINGTON, IA.—Madison Avenue Park. P. W. Bohlen, manager and proprietor.
BUTLER, PA.—Aameda Park. Frank Melville, booking manager.
BUTTE, MONT.—Columbia Gardens. Geo. Forsythe, manager.
CAMBRIDGE, MASS.—Charles River Park. Frank L. Howe, manager.
CAMDEN, N. J.—Woodlin Park. M. W. Taylor, manager.
CAMERON, COL.—Pinnacle Park. Scarboro Bros. & Murphy, lessees.
CANTON, O.—American Village. M. Bast, manager.
CANTON, O.—Meyers Lake Park.
CARLISLE, PA.—Cave Hill Park.
CARTHAGE, MO.—Lakeside Park. George Halliday, manager.
CELINA, O.—Edgewater Park. E. A. Winders, manager.
CARTHAGE, MO.—Midway Park. Geo. V. Halliday, manager, care "Billboard."
CEDAR RAPIDS, IA.—Athletic Park. G. L. Rothrock, manager
CEDARTOWN, GA.—The Summer Theatre. J. C. Knight, Jr., manager.
CEYLON, O.—Ruggle's Beach. C. S. Ruggles, manager.
CHAMPAIGN, ILL.—West End Park. Mat. Kussell, manager.
CHARLESTON, S. C.—Latta Park. Fred D. Sampson, manager.
CHARLESTON, S. C.—Chicora Park.
CHARLESTON, W. VA.—Beechwood Park.
CHARLOTTE, N. Y.—Ontario Beach Park.
CHARLOTTE, N. C.—Latta Park. John S. Elburg, manager; Fred Sampson, mgr. theatre.
CHATTANOOGA, TENN.—Olympia Park.
CHATTANOOGA, TENN.—Oxley Zoo. C. V. Brown, pres.
CHESAPEAKE BEACH, MD.—Wm. Popper, manager.
CHESTNUT HILL, PA.—Marsh Valley Park. Prof. Lingerman's Palace of Illusions.
CHICAGO, ILL.—Lincoln Park Zoo.
CHICAGO, ILL.—Garrick Theatre. Matt Kusell manager.
CHICAGO, ILL.—Ferris Wheel Park. L. V. Rice, general manager.
CHICAGO, ILL.—Bismarck Park.
CHICAGO, ILL.—Water Chute Company. William Strickler, manager.
CHICAGO, ILL.—Masonic Temple Roof Garden.
CHICAGO, ILL.—Hillinger's Gardens. Sherman & Rickel, managers.
CHICAGO, ILL.—Mason's Park.
CHICAGO, ILL.—Sans Souci Park. Alfred Russel, manager.
CHICAGO, ILL.—Manhattan Beach.
CHICAGO, ILL.—Sharpshooter's Park. J. W. Bush, manager.
CHICAGO, ILL.—Kuhn's Park. Eugene Poden, manager.
CHICAGO, ILL.—Electric Park.
CINCINNATI, O.—Chester Park. I. M. Martin, manager.
CINCINNATI, O.—Zoological Garden. Sol. Stevens, manager.
CINCINNATI, O.—Queen City Bathing Beach. W. E. Kroger, manager.
CINCINNATI, O.—Coney Island. W. E. Clark, manager.
CINCINNATI, O.—Silver Grove. Fred. Hasse, manager. Address Ft. Thomas, Ky.
CINCINNATI, O.—Woodsdale Island Park. Mr. Frank Witte, Room 82, Carew Bldg., manager.
CLEVELAND, O.—Scenic Park.
CLEARFIELD, PA.—Clearfield Park. R. H. Shaw, secretary.
CLEVELAND, O.—Garden Theatre. Chas. Lamarcle, manager.
CLEVELAND, O.—Edgewater Park. W. H. Ford, manager.
CLEVELAND, O.—Euclid Beach Park. Humphrey Bros., managers.
CLEVELAND, O.—Forest City Park. Humphrey Bros., managers.
CLEVELAND, O.—Manhattan Beach. F. C. Bostock, manager.
CLEVELAND, O.—Chippewa Lake Park. W. & L. E. R. R. John Kingsborogh, manager.
COHOES, N. Y.—Slup Street Park.
COLUMBIA, S. C.—Hyatt's Park.
COLUMBUS, GA.—Wildwood Park. Springer & Peterson, managers.
COLUMBUS, O.—Schaefer's Garden Theatre. Frank Schaefer, proprietor.
COLUMBUS, O.—Zoological Gardens. C. M. Williams, secretary.
COLUMBUS, O.—Collins' Garden.
COLUMBUS, O.—Olentangy Park. Olentangy Park Co., managers.
CONCORD, N. H.—Coontocook River Park.
CONEY ISLAND, N. Y.—Luna Park. Thomas Folks, manager.
CONEY ISLAND, N. Y.—Luna Park. Thomas Folks, manager.
CONNEAUT LAKE, PA.—Exposition Park.
CORNING, N. Y.—Bronson Park.
CORNING, N. Y.—Painted Post Park.
COUNCIL BLUFFS, IA.—Lake Manawa. W. S. Dimock, manager.
CURTIS BAY, MD.—Flood's New Park Theater. W. L. Fitzerald, manager.
DANBURY, CONN.—Kenosia Park. F. A. Shear, manager.
DANIELSON, CONN.—Wildwood Park. People's Tramway Co., managers.
DANVILLE, VA.—Electric Park Casino. C. W. Rex, manager.
DARTFORD, WIS.—Terrace Park.
DAVENPORT, IA.—Prospect Park.
DAVENPORT, IA.—Schuetzen Park.
DAYTON, O.—Lakeside Park. James A Kirk, manager.
DAYTON, O.—Lucas Grove Park.
DAYTON, O.—Fairview Park. Felix Bly, manager.
DALLAS, TEX.—Cycle Park and Family Theater C. R. McAdams, manager.
DEDHAM, MASS.—Westwood Park. J. W. Gorman, manager.
DEFIANCE, O.—Island Park. Bert Marshan, manager.
DENNISON, O.—Island Park. O. B. Welch, manager.
DENVER, COLO.—Elitch Gardens.
DENVER, COL.—Manhattan Beach. Heilbrun & Mayer, managers.
DES. MOINES, IA.—Ingersoll Park. Fred. Buchanan, manager, manager.
DETROIT, MICH.—Palmers Park. Emil Imhoff.
DETROIT, MICH.—Lagoon Park.
DETROIT, MICH.—Belle Isle Scenic Railway Park. H. V. Burlow, manager.
DOVER, N. H.—Central Park.
DUBUQUE, IA.—Stewart's Park.
DUNKIRK, N. Y.—Central Park. W. B. McCallum, manager.
EAST AUBURN, ME.—Lake Auburn Park. Arthur Cleetham, manager.
EAST LIVERPOOL, O.—Rock Springs Park. J. H. Maxwell, manager; W. B. McCallum, manager theatre.
EAST HADDEM, CONN.—Maplewood Resort. Faun Saxon, manager.
EASTON, PA.—Oakland Park. J. G. Honecker, manager.
EASTON, PA.—Island Park.
EAST ST. LOUIS, ILL.—Priester's Park. O. H. Blanchard, manager.
EAST ST. LOUIS, ILL.—Central Park.
EAST ST. LOUIS, ILL.—Edgemont Park.
ELGIN, ILL.—Street Railway Park.
ELGIN, ILL.—National Park.
ELIZABETH, N. J.—Elfders Park. Henry Hues manager.
ELKHART, IND.—Island Park. F. S. Timmons, secretary.
ELMIRA, N. Y.—Rorick's Glen Park. Henry D. Dixie.
ELMIRA, N. Y.—Eldridge Park. E. M. Little, manager.
ELMIRA, N. Y.—Queen City Gardens. M. L. Sullivan, manager.
ELMWOOD, N. Y.—Elmwood Park.
EL PASO, TEX.—Washington Park. Sheriff, manager and proprietor.
ENDICOTT, N. Y.—Casino Park. J. V. E. Clark, manager, per ad. Binghampton, N. Y.
ERIE, PA.—Waldameer Park. Thomas Maloney, manager.
EUREKA SPRINGS, ARK.—Auditorium Park. G. V. Halliday, manager, care "The Billboard.
EVANSVILLE, IND.—Mesker Park. Frank Burt, Toledo, O., manager.
EVANSVILLE, IND.—Cook's Park. Felix J. Sieffert, manager.
EVANSVILLE, IND.—Glen Park.
EVANSVILLE, IND.—Street Car Park. H. D. Moran, manager.
FAIRMONT, MINN.—Hand's Silver Lake Park.
FAIRMOUNT, W. VA.—Fairmount Park. H. Reed Allison, manager.
FALL RIVER, MASS.—Mt. Hope Park.
FINDLAY, O.—Reeves Park. Geo. Richards, manager.
FITCHBURG, MASS.—Whalom Park. W. W. Sargent, manager. Tom Whyte, manager theatre.
FLINT, MICH.—Thread Lake Park. Campbell & Ingersoll, managers.
FT. MADISON, IA.—Ivanhoe Park. Capt. G. H. Peabody, manager.
FT. SMITH, ARK.—McLoud's Park.
FT. WAYNE, IND.—Robinson Park. The Fort Wayne Traction Co., managers.
FT. WORTH, TEX.—Hermann's Park. Julius Bothe, manager.
FT. WORTH, TEX.—Gruenewald's Park.
FT. WORTH, TEX.—Tyler's Park.
FOSTORIA AND FINDLAY, O.—Reeves Park. Mr. Wentz, manager.
FREDERICK, MD.—Athletic Park.
FREDONIA, N. Y.—Central Park. H. M. Clark, manager; R. A. Hilton, manager theaters.
GALION, O.—Seccalum Park.
GALT, CAN.—Idlewyld Park.
GALT, ONT., CAN.—Galt Park.
GARDNER, MASS.—Crystal Lake Park.
GLEN FALLS, N. Y.—McGregor Park. John Donahue, manager.
GLOUCESTER, N. J.—Empire Pavilion.
GLOVERSVILLE, N. Y.—Mountain Lake Park. Jeremiah Wood, agent.
GLOVERSVILLE, N. Y.—Sacandaga Park. C. H. Ball, manager.
GOFFS FALLS, N. H.—Devonshire Park. Manchester Traction Co., managers.
GRAND RAPIDS, MICH.—Ramona Park.
GREEN BAY, WIS.—Street Railway Park.
GRAND LEDGE, MICH.—The Seven Islands. J. S. Mudge, proprietor.
GRAND RAPIDS, MICH.—Godfrey's Park. Chas. Godfrey, manager.
GREEN BAY, WIS.—Hagemeister Park. Theater. M. C. Hurlbut, manager.
GREENSBURG, PA.—Oakford Park. W. B. McCallum, manager.
GREENSBORO, N. C.—Lindley Park. Edward Wertley, manager.
HAMILTON, O.—Woodsdale Island. Frank Witte, manager.
HAMILTON, O.—Lindenwald Park. John W. Foster, manager.
HAMILTON, ONT.—Sherman Park.
HAMPTON, VA.—Hampton Park Casino.
HAMPTON, VA.—Buckroe Beach Park. J. V. Bickford, manager.
HAMPTON, VA.—Buckroe Beach Casino. C. W. Rex, manager.
HARRISBURG, PA.—Paxtang Park. F. M. Davis, manager.
HARRISBURG, PA.—Midway Park.
HARRISBURG, PA.—Reservoir Park.
HARTFORD, CONN.—Werders Park.
HARTFORD, CONN.—Charter Oak Park. E. M. Stalker, secretary, care Fasig-Lipton Co., Madison Square Garden, New York.
HARTFORD, CONN.—Capitol Park. P. J. Casey, manager.
HAVERHILL, MASS.—Pines Park.
HIGHWOOD, ILL.—Fort Sheridan Park. H. Charles Wilson, manager.
HILTON, N. J.—Hilton Park.
HOLYOKE, MASS.—Mountain Park. William R. Hill, manager.
HOUSATONIC, CONN.—P. O. Dwyer's Park.
HOT SPRING, ARK.—Whittington Park. H. O. Price, manager.
HOUGHTON, MICH.—Highland Park. J. H. Oakley, manager.
HOUSTON, TEX.—Magnolia Park.
HOWELL, IND.—Glen Park.
HURON, O.—Rye Beach Resort.
INDIANAPOLIS, IND.—Fairbank Park. William Tron, manager.
INDIANAPOLIS, IND.—Kissell's Garden. Fred. Kissel, manager.
IRONDEQUOIT, N. Y.—Sea Breeze Park. E. T. Griffin, manager.
IRONDEQUOIT, N. Y.—Sea Breeze Park. J. P. Fisher, manager.
INDIANAPOLIS, IND.—Oval Park. Mr. Newby, manager.
INDIANAPOLIS, IND.—Fairview Park. Citizens St. R. R. Co., managers.
IRONTON, O.—Clyffeside Park. N. S. Smith, lessee.
ITHACA, N. Y.—Renwick Park. W. B. McCallum, manager.
IUKA, ILL.—Rose Lake Park. J. J. Schoolfield, manager.
JACKSON, MISS.—Livingston Park.
JACKSON, TENN.—Highland Park. Woerner & Tuchfeld, managers.
JACKSONVILLE, FLA.—Phoenix Park. J. Satchwell, superintendent.
JAMESTOWN, N. Y.—Celeron Park.
JEANNETTE, PA.—Oakford Park. W. B. McCallum, manager.
JOLIET, ILL.—Rock Run Park. Lem Northam, manager.
JOLIET, ILL.—Joliet Driving Park. F. E. Fisher, manager.
JOPLIN, MO.—Grand Falls Park. Charles E. Hodkins, manager.
KALAMAZOO, MICH.—Lakeview Park. I. N. Mittenthal, manager.
KANKAKEE, ILL.—Electric Park. Kankakee Electric Railway Co., managers.
KANKAKEE, ILL.—Champaign Park. Matt Kusell, manager.
KANSAS CITY, MO.—Fairmount Park.
KANSAS CITY, MO.—Troost Park.
KANSAS CITY, MO.—Electric Park. Sam Benjamine, manager.
KENT, O.—Electric Park. C. M. Davis, mgr.
KEOKUK, IA.—Casino Theatre. Edmund Jaeger, Jr., manager.
KEY WEST, FLA.—Labrisa Park. Key West Electric Co., managers.
KINGSTON, ONT.—Long Island Beach.
KINGSTON, ONT.—Long Island Park. Jos. J. Brophy, manager.
KOKOMO, IND.—Athletic Park. Kokomo Railway and L. Co., managers.
LAKE MASSABESIC, N. H.—Lake Massabesic Park.
LAKE MONONA, WIS.—Park
LAKE ORION, MICH.—Mich. Baptist Summer Assembly. Aug. 3-9, 1903.
LANCASTER, PA.—Rocky Springs Park. H. B. Griffiths, manager.
LANCASTER, PA.—New Woolworth Roof Garden. Capt. J. B. Peoples, manager.
LANSING MICH.—Grand Ledge Park.
LANSING, MICH.—Leadley's Park.
LANSING, MICH.—Haslett Park.
LAPORTE, IND.—Tuxedo Park. J. C. Christman, manager.
LAREDO, TEX.—Loma Vista Park.
LA SALLE, ILL.—Marion Park. Matt Kusell, manager.
LAWRENCE, MASS.—Glen Forest.
LEAVENWORTH, KAN.—Electric Park.
LEBANON, PA.—Pennsylvaia Park. Mr. A. M. Patch, manager.
LEBANON, PA.—Mt. Gretna Park. Ira M. Rutter, manager.
LEXINGTON, KY.—Woodland Park. Jake Wells, manager.
LIMA, O.—Hoover's Park.
LIMA, O.—McCullough's Lake Park. G. M. McCullough, proprietor and manager.
LIMA, O.—McBeth's Park. D. O'Brien, mgr.
LINCOLN, NEB.—Lincoln Park.
LITTLE ROCK, ARK.—Glenwood Park. Chas. T. Taylor, Box 152, manager.
LONDON, ONT., CAN.—Springbank Park.
LONDON, ONT.—Queen's Park.
LONG BRANCH, N. J.—Pleasure Bay Park. G. S. Starling, 1439 Broadway, New York City, N. Y., manager.
LORAIN, O.—Century Park. W. C. Hochstein, manager.
LOS ANGELES, CAL.—Chutes Park, Theatre, Midway and Zoo. Henry Koch, manager.
LOUISVILLE, KY.—Fountain Ferry Park. Tony Laudenich, Mgr.
LOUISVILLE, KY.—Phoenix Hill Park. Wm. Geobel, manager.
LOUISVILLE, KY.—Riverview Park. Lum Simens, proprietor.
LOUISVILLE, KY.—Hammers Park.
LOUISVILLE, KY.—Shadyside Park. Geo. Sexton, Mgr.
LOUISVILLE, KY.—The Zoo. Jake Wells, manager.
LOWELL, MASS.—Lakeview Theater. J. J. Flynn, manager.
LOWELL, MASS.—Willowdale Park.
LYNCHBURG, VA.—Rivermont Park. Jake Wells, manager.
LYNNFIELD, MASS.—Suntag Park. R. G. Stowell, manager.
McKEESPORT, PA.—Olymphia Park. John P. Harris, manager.
McKEESPORT, PA.—Olympia Park.
MACON, GA.—Crump's Park. Jake Wells, manager.
MADISON, WIS.—Oak Park. G. V. Halliday, manager, care "The Billboard.
MANCHESTER, CONN.—Laurel Park.
McKEESPORT, PA.—Olympia Park. J. A. Courtade, mgr.
MANCHESTER, N. H.—Lake Park, J. Brodie Smith and Jos. Flynn, managers.
MANISTEE, MICH.—Orchard Beach.
MANSFIELD, O.—Sherman Heineman Park. E. R. Endly, manager.
MARBLEHEAD, MASS.—Seaside Theater.
MARCUS HOOK, PA.—Lindenthrope Park. J. Prout Williams, manager.
MARLBORO, MASS.—Lake Chauncey. J. J. Flynn, manager.
MARINETTE, WIS.—Lakeside Park. Marinette Electric Light Company, manager.
MARSHALL, MICH.—St. Mary's Lake. Mr. Crosby, manager.
MEADVILLE, PA.—Oakwood Park. Meadville Traction Co., managers.
MEDFORD, MASS.—Combination Park.
MEMPHIS, TENN.—East End Park.
MERIDEN, CONN.—Hanover Park. W. P. Bristol, manager.
MERIDIAN, MISS.—North Park. Mike McDermott, Mobile, Ala., manager.
MERIDIAN, MISS.—North Park.
MIDDLETOWN, CONN.—Lake View Park. Chas. H. Chapman, manager.
MIDDLETOWN, N. Y.—Midway Park. H. S. Starrett, manager.
MILFORD, MASS.—Mendon Park. E. W. Goss, manager.
MILFORD, MASS.—Lake Nipmuc Park. E. W. Goss, manager.
MILWAUKEE, WIS.—Pabst Park. Theo. Thielges, manager.
MILWAUKEE, WIS.—Blatz Park. Theo. Thielges, manager.
MINNEAPOLIS, MINN.—Lake Harriet. Twin City Rapid Transit Company, managers.
MISHAWAKA, IND.——Century Park.
MOLINE, ILL.—Prospect Park. J. F. Laidner, manager.
MOBILE, ALA.—Monroe Park Theater. Mike McDermott, manager.
MONROE, LA.—Summer Garden. A. S. Kuhn.
MONTGOMERY, ALA.—Highland Park.
MONTGOMERY, ALA.—Bloem Fontain Park. J. W. Kean, manager.
MONTREAL, CAN.—Riverside Park.
MONTPELIER, IND.—Pyle Park. C. L. Smith,
MONTREAL, QUE, CAN.—Sohmer Park.
MONROE, MICH.—Johnson's Island Park. Geo. J. Nahl, manager.
MT. VERNON, O.—Lake Hiawatha Park. E. T. Selig, manager. W. N. Sevems, Manager theatre.
MUSCATINE, IA.—Citizen's Railway Park.
MUSKEGON, MICH.—Lake Michigan Park. W. R. Reyncids, manager.
NAHANT, MASS.—Bath Point, Relay House.
NASHVILLE, TENN.—Glendale Park. Y. C. Alley, manager.
NATCHEZ, MISS.—Concord Park. Natches Amusement Company, managers.
NEWARK, O.—Idlewald Park. Will D. Harris, manager.
NEW REDFORD, MASS.—Lincoln Park. I. W. Phelps, manager.
NEWBURG, N. Y.—Glenwood Park.
NEWBURYPORT, MASS. — Salisbury Beach. Citizens Electric St. Ry. Co., managers; E. K. Shaw, superintendent.
NEWBURY, MASS.—Plum Island, Citizen's Electric Street Ry. Co.,, prop.; E. K. Shaw, superintendent.
NEW BEDFORD, MASS.—Pope Beach. R. W. Boynton, manager.
NEW BEDFORD, MASS.—Marine Park. F. N. Van Buskirk, manager.
NEW BEDFORD, MASS.—Lincoln Park. I. W. Phelps, Mgr.
NEW BEDFORD, MASS.—Lake Side Park. Brockton, Middleboro & New Bedford Street Railway, managers.
NEW BRITAIN, CONN.—Rentchler's Park. J. Ziff and Wm. Hipp, managers.
NEW BRITAIN, CONN.—White Oak Park. F. L. Terry, manager.

NEW CASTLE, PA.—Cascade Park. Pennsylvania and Mahoning Valley Ry. Co., managers.
NEW ORLEANS, LA.—City Park. Park Commissioners, managers.
NEW ORLEANS, LA.—West End. Henry A. Ottman manger.
NEW BRUNSWICK, N. J.—Riverside Park. Brunswick Traction Co., managers.
NEW ORLEANS, LA.—Orpheum Athletic Park. Chas. Brag, manager.
NEW ORLEANS, LA.—East Side Park. Milnetrug.
NEW ORLEANS, LA.—Audubon Park. Park Commissioners, managers.
NEW PHILADELPHIA, O.—Rummel's Grove Park. Tuscarawas Traction Co., lessees; Wm. Akins, mgr.
NEWPORT, R. I.—Freebody Park. M. R. Sheedy, manager.
NEW YORK, N. Y.—Olcatt Beach.
NEWPORT, R. I.—Freebody Park. Mr. Gorman, manager.
NEWPORT NEWS, VA.—Warwick Casino. G. F. Adams, manager.
NEWPORT NEWS, VA.—Liverpool Theatre. Mrs. E. Dwyer, manager.
NEWPORT NEWS, VA.—Ocean View Casino. J. Wells, manager.
NORFOLK, VA.—Piney Beach. Jake Wells, manager.
NORFOLK, VA.—Buckroe Beach. Jake Wells, manager.
NORTH ADAMS, MASS.—Hoosac Valley Park. W. P. Mead, manager.
NORTH ADAMS, MASS.—Valley Park.
NORTHAMPTON, MASS.—Meadow Park.
NORTH BEACH, N. Y.—Dauplin's Casino.
NORTON, KAS.—Elmwood Park. Geo. Moulton, manager.
OAKLAND, CAL.—Oakland Park.
OCEAN CITY, N. J.—New Ocean Pier.
OCEAN VIEW, VA.—Ocean View Park. Jake Wells, manager.
OIL CITY, PA.—Monarch Park. W. B. McCallum, manager.
OIL CITY, PA.—Smithson's Park. G. H. Verbeck, manager.
OKLAHOMA CITY, O. T.—Concord Park.
OKLAHOMA, CITY, O. T.—Riverside Park.
OLCOTT, N. Y.—Olcott Beach. International Traction Co., managers.
OLEAN, N. Y.—Riverhurst Park. C. C. Morlan, manager.
OMAHA, NEB.—Krug's Park. W. W. Cole manager.
OMAHA, NEB.—Courtland Beach. Office, 218 First National Bank.
OMAHA, NEB.—Lake Manawa. Office, 218 First National Bank.
ORANGE, N. J.—Highland Park. Will N. Miller, manager.
OSHKOSH, WIS.—Electric Park. E. E. Downs manager.
OSWEGO, N. Y.—Oswego, Park.
OTTOWA, ONT., CAN.—Victoria Park.
OWANKA, MINN.—Tepeota Park.
OWEN SOUND, CANADA.—King's Royal Park. J. M. Walsh, manager.
PADUCAH, KY.—Wallace Park. James E. English, manager.
PAINTED POST, N. Y.—Bronson Park. Sanders.
PALMER, MASS.—Forest Lake Park. P. F. Shea & Co., managers.
PARKERSBURG, W. VA.—Terrapin Park. Harry L. Webb, manager.
PENNACOOK, N. H.—Contookcook Park.
PENSACOLA, FLA.—Kupfrican's Park. V. J. Vidal, manager.
PEORIA, ILL.—Pfeifer's Palm Garden. Chas. G. Pfeifer, manager.
PEORIA, ILL.—Central Park.
PEORIA, ILL.—Poplar Beach Park. Fred P. Corning, manager.
PEORIA, ILL.—Stone Hill Garden. Frank Hill, manager.
PEORIA, ILL.—Prospect Heights Park.
PERRYSBURG, O.—Eden Park. Ignatius Boff, manager.
PERU, IND.—Boyd's Park. J. A. Erwin, manager.
PITTSBURG, PA.—Highland Park Zoo.
PITTSFIELD, MASS.—Berkshire Park. Berkshire St. Ry. Co., managers. P. J. Casey, manager Park Theatre.
PHILADELPHIA, PA.—Willow Grove Park. C. P. Weaver, manager.
PHILADELPHIA, PA.—Willow Grove Park.
PHILADELPHIA, PA.—Chestnut Hill Park. H. B. Auchy, manager.
PHILADELPHIA, PA.—Washington Park on the Delaware. W. J. Thompson, manager.
PHILADELPHIA, PA.—Torresdale Park. D. Snider, manager.
PHILADELPHIA, PA.—Fox Chase Park. J. Churchill, manager.
PHILADELPHIA, PA.—Woodside Park. Frank Howe, Jr., manager.
PHILADELPHIA, PA.—Washington Park.
PHILADELPHIA, PA.—Central Park.
PHILLIPSBURG, N. J.—Cedar Park.
PHOENIX, ARIZ.—East Lake Park. Harry Heap, manager, Phoenix Street Ry.
PINE BLUFF, ARK.—Bell Park.
PITMAN GROVE, N. J.—Alycon Park. Geo. W. Carr, manager.
PITNEY BEACH, VA.—Imperial Theater. Chas. Rox, manager.
PITTSBURG, KAN.—Forest Park. W. W. Bell, manager.
PITTSBURG, PA.—Highland Zoo Park.
PITTSBURG, PA.—Calhoun Park. A. S. McSwigan, manager.
PITTSBURG, PA.—Southern Park. A. S. McSwigan, manager.
PITTSBURG, PA.—Oakwood Park. A. S. McSwigan, manager.
PITTSBURG, PA.—Schenley Park. Consolidated Traction Company, managers.
PITTSBURG, PA.—Idlewild Park. Ligonier Valley R. R. George Senft, general manager.
PIQUA, O.—Midway Park.
PLAINFIELD, N. J.—Galvin's Park. Jos. A. Galvin, manager.
PLYMOUTH, O.—Seaton's Park. S. S. Seaton, manager.
PORTLAND, ME.—Riverton Park. E. A. Newman, manager; J. W. Gorman, 180 Tremont st. Boston, Mass., booking manager.
PORTLAND, ME.—Underwood Springs Park.
PORTLAND, ME.—Cape Cottage Park. Ira La Motte & James O'Brien, managers.
PORTLAND, ME.—Presumpscot Park.
PORTLAND ORE.—Shield's Park. Edward Shields, manager.
PORTLAND, ORE.—Hawthorne Springs Park.
PORTSMOUTH, VA.—Columbia Park.
POTTSTOWN, PA.—Ringing Rocks Park. R. E. Shaner, manager.
POUGHKEEPSIE, N. Y.—Upton Lake Park.
PROVIDENCE, R. I.—Narragansett Park. Albert H. Moore, manager.
PROVIDENCE, R. I.—Crescent Park.
PUEBLO, COL.—Grand Stand Pavillion. Jos. D. Glass, manager.
PUEBLO, COL.—Lake Minnequa Park. C. A. Galloway, manager.
PUT-IN-BAY ISLAND, O.—Palm Beach. Mrs. J. C. Morris, manager.
PUTNAM, CONN.—People's Tramway Park.
QUEBEC, CANADA.—Montgomery Park. W. G. Baker, manager.
QUEBEC, CANADA.—Savard Park. T. Savard, manager.
QUEBEC, CANADA.—Exhibition Park. P. P. Legare, manager.
QUINCY, ILL.—Baldwin Park. Mrs. T. S. Baldwin, manager.
RALEIGH, N. C.—Pullen Park.
READING, PA.—Driving Park.
READING, PA.—Carsonia Park. The Inter-State Park Amusement Co., P. D. Lauman, Pres., manager; O. S. Gieger, manager theatre.
REVERE BEACH, MASS.—Crescent Gardens. W. H. O.'Neill, manager.
REVERE, MASS.—Point of Pines. W. H. O' Neil, manager.
RICHMOND, IND.—Highland Park. J. M. Dobbins, manager.
RICHMOND, VA.—Casino Park. Jake Wells, manager.
RICHMOND, VA.—Reservoir Park. Jake Wells, manager.
RICHMOND, VA.—Westhampton Park. Jake Wells, manager.
RICHMOND, VA.—Forest Hill Park. Jake Wells, manager.
RICHMOND, VA.—Seven Pines Park. Jake Wells, manager.
RICHWOOD, O.—Varuna Park.
ROCHESTER, N. Y.—Ontario Beach Park. J. J. Collins, Hotel Victoria, N. Y., manager.
ROCHESTER, N. Y.—Ontario Beach Auditorium Theater. C. Durward Serviss, manager.
ROCHESTER, N. Y.—Ontario Beach, Bartholomay Pavilion Theater. C. Durward Serviss, manager.
ROCKAWAY, L. I., N. Y.—Delmling's Casino.
ROCKAWAY BEACH, L. I.—Seaside Casino
ROCKFORD, ILL.—Harlem Park George Chenet, manager.
ROCKFORD, ILL.—Aurora Park. Matt Kusell, manager.
ROCKFORD, ILL.—Chautauqua Park. Frank Burt, Toledo, O., manager.
ROCK ISLAND, ILL.—Black Hawk Watch Tower. Jas. F. Lardner, manager.
ROME, N. Y.—Sylvan Beach Midway. Martin Cavana, director.
ROCKVILLE, CONN.—Snipic Park.
ROME, GA.—Mobley Park. Francis Morey, manager.
SAGINAW, MICH.—Riverside Park. Frank Burt, Toledo, O., manager.
SALAMANCA, N. Y.—Island Park. J. J. Inman, manager.
SALEM, MASS.—Salem Willoms.
SALT LAKE CITY, UTAH.—Lagoon. J. S. Critchlow, manager.
SALT LAKE CITY, UTAH.—Calders Park. Max A. Peters, manager.
SALT LAKE CITY, UTAH—Saltair Beach.
SAN ANTONIO, TEX.—Muth's Concert Garden and Pavilion. Wm. Muth, manager.
SANDUSKY, O.—Cedar Point Grove. G. A. Boeckling, manager.
SANDWICH, CANADA.—Lagoon Park. Rowe & Byers, managers.
SANDY LAKE, PA.—Sandy Lake Park. S. L. Park Co., managers.
SAN FRANCISCO, CAL.—Woodward's Garden and Pavilion. W. R. Peel, manager.
SAN FRANCISCO, CAL.—Glen Park.
SAN FRANCISCO, CAL.—Chutes Park.
SAVANAH, GA.—Tivola Park.
SAVANNAH, GA.—Thunderbolt Park. Savannah Street Railway Co., managers.
SAVANNAH, GA.—Tybee Beach.
SCRANTON, PA.—Laurel Hill Park.
SEDALIA, MO.—Sedalia Park.
SELLERSBURG, IND.—Glen Helen Park. Louis Schneck, owner.
SELMA, ALA.—Riverview Pavilion, R. E. L. Niel, manager.
SENECA FALLS, N. Y.—Cayuga Park. W. C. Gray, manager.
SHARON, PA.—Union Park.
SHARON, PA.—Dewey Park. Sharon & Sharpsville Ry. Co., managers.
SINGAC, N. J.—Grotto Park. Harry Rouclere, manager.
SIOUX CITY, IA.—Riverside Park. E. L. Kirk, manager. Oliver Martell, manager theatre.
SKOWHEGAN, ME.—Lakewood Grove Park.
SOUTH BEND, IND.—Spring Brook Park.
SOUTH BOSTON, MASS.—Pavilion. W. H. O'Neill, Point of Pines, Mass., manager.
SOUTH FRAMINGHAM, MASS.—Lake Washington Park. John McNamara, 363 Wash St., Boston, Mass., manager.
SOUTH FRAMINGHAM, MASS.—Wayside Park.
SPENCER, IA.—Arnold's Park. Dr. C. W. Crawford, manager.
SPOKANE, WASH.—Natitorion Park.
SPRINGFIELD, MASS.—Suburban Park.
SPRINGFIELD, MASS.—Hampden Park. P. F. Shea & Co., managers.
SPRINGFIELD, MO.—Doling Park and Family Theatre. Robert L. Doling, manager.
SPRINGFIELD, O.—Spring Grove Park. John H. Miller, manager.
STAUNTON, VA.—Highland Park.
STAUNTON, VA.—City Park.
STEUBEUVILLE, O.—Altamont Park.
ST. JOSEPH, MICH.—Silver Beach. Frederick Howe, Dowagiac, Mich., Manager.
ST. JOSEPH, MO.—Athletic Park.
ST. JOSEPH, MO.—Lake Contary Park. E. B. Churchill, manager.
ST. LOUIS, MO.—Bellevue Park.
ST. LOUIS, MO.—Forrest Park, Highlands. J. D. Hopkins, manager.
ST. LOUIS, MO.—Creve Coeur Lake. W. Maurice Tobin, manager.
ST. LOUIS, MO.—West End Hieghts. Ben Williams, manager.
ST. LOUIS, MO.—Grand Avenue Park. Hashagen Bros., managers.
ST. LOUIS, MO.—Universal Park.
ST. LOUIS, MO.—Koerner's Garden. H. E. Rice, manager.
ST. LOUIS, MO.—Hashagen's Park. Hashagen Bros. managers.
ST. LOUIS, MO.—Uhrig's Cave. McNeary Bros. manager.
ST. LOUIS, MO.—Suburban Park.
ST. LOUIS, MO.—Manion's Park. Manion Bros., managers.
ST. LOUIS, MO.—Delmar Garden. J. C. Jannopoulo, manager.
ST. LOUIS, MO.—Eclipse Park. Henry Gruen, manager.
ST. MARY'S, O.—Sans Souci Park F. S. Schmidt, manager.
ST. PAUL, MINN.—Wildwood Park. Twin City Rapid Transit Co., managers.
ST. PAUL, MINN.—Harriet Park. Queen City Rapid Transit Co., W. J. Hield, general manager.
ST. PAUL, MINN.—Como Park. Twin City Rapid Transit Company, Managers.
ST. THOMAS, CAN.—Pinafore Lake Park.
STEUBENVILLE, O.—Stanton Park. T. S. Molleston, manager
STONEBORO, PA.—Lake Side Park. S. W. Dermit, manager.
SYLVAN BEACH, N. Y.—Sylvan Beach Midway. Dr. M. Cavana, director.
SYRACUSE, N. Y.—Lakeside Park. Marcy & Carrolo, managers.
SYRACUSE, N. Y.—Iron Pier Park. Joe Dunfee, manager.
SYRACUSE, N. Y.—Elmwood Park. Joe Dunfee, managers.
SYRACUSE, N. Y.—Lake Onondaga Park. M. S. Robinson, manager.
SYRACUSE, N. Y.—Electric Garden.
TAUNTON, MASS.—Nippenicket Park.
TAUNTON, MASS.—Sabatia Park.
TAUNTON, MASS.—Lakeside Park.
TAUNTON, MASS.—Dighton Rock Park.
TERRE HAUTE, IND.—Riverside Park. Frank Steinman, manager.
TERRE HAUTE, IND.—Electric Park.
TERRE HAUTE, IND.—Stoneman's Riverside Park.
TERRE HAUTE, IND.—Collett Park.
TOLEDO, O.—Bellevue Park. J. W. McCormick, manager.
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TOLEDO, O.—Casino Park.
TOLEDO, O.—The Farm. Otto Klives, manager.
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TOLEDO, O.—Burt Casino. Harry Howard, manager.
TOPEKA, KAN.—Garfield Park.
TORONTO, CAN.—Hanlan's Point. M. Dee, manager.
TORONTO, CAN.—Munro Park. William Banks, manager.
TRENTON, N. J.—Spring Lake Park.
TRENTON, N. J.—Cochran Park.
TRENTON, N. J.—Hill's Park.
TROY, N. Y.—Lagoon Island. John F. Weber, Prop. and Manager; D. C. Favors, Asst. manager.
UTICA, N. Y.—Summit Park.
UTICA, N. Y.—Casino Park.
UTICA, N. Y.—Utica Park.
WACO, TEX.—West End Summer Theater. Jake Shwartz, manager.
WAKEFIELD, MASS.—Wakefield Park.
WAKEFIELD, MASS.—Quannapowitt Park.
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WASHINGTON, D. C.—Glen Echo Park.
WASHINGTON, D. C.—Coliseum Park.
WASHINGTON, IND.—Street Ry. Park.
WATERBURY, CONN.—Lakewood Park
WATERBURY, CONN.—Forest Park. W. W. Hanna, manager.
WATERBURY, CONN.—Belleview Lake Grove.
WATERVILLE, MINN.—Tetonka Park.
WATERTOWN, N. Y.—Glen Park.
WEBB CITY, MO.—Lakeside Park. Southwestern Missouri Ry. Co., managers.
WEBB CITY, MO.—Olympia Park. Geo. V. Halliday, manager, care of "Billboard."
WEBSTER, MASS.—Beacon Park.
WELLSTON, O.—Allen Park.
WEST BROOKFIELD, MASS.—Lake Wicabong Park.
WESTFIELD, MASS.—Waronoco Park.
WESTBORG, MASS.—Lake Chauncey. H. C. Garfield, manager
WHEELING, W. VA.—Park Casino. Conrad Hirsch, manager.
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WHITE BEAR LAKE, MINN.—White Bear Beach.
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New Fairs.

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COUNCIL BLUFFS, IA.—Fair, Sept. —, 1903. H. A. Searle, Pers; H. H. Van Brunt, Treas; E. A. Troutman, Secy.

FAIRBURY, NEB.—Jefferson County Fair, Sept. 15-19, inclusive, 1903. Jasper Helvey, Pres; A. Lindell, Treas; J. P. Turner, Secy.

MORA, MINN.—Kanabec County Fair, Sept. 10-12, inclusive, 1903. Hans Peterson, Pres.; G. H. Newbest, Treas; Willis Fairbanks, Sec.

NASHUA, N. H.—Nashua Assn. Fair, Sept. 7-10, inclusive, 1903. Hon. J. J. Doyle, Pres; J. E. Tolles, Treas.; M. C. Mullen, Secy.

NEWHALL, IA.—Newhall Athletic Assn. Fair, Sept. —, 1903. E. H. Morrow, Pres; Lewis Deklotz, Treas.; F. G. Bryner, Secy.

PETERBOROUGH, ONT.—Peterborough Industrial Fair, (dates not set). D. H. Charles, Pres; W. Green, Secy. and Treas., P. O. Box 181.

RIPLEY, O.—Ripley Fair, Aug. 11-14, 1903. J. E. Kilpatrick, Pres; L. H. Williams, Secy.

SOMERSET, KY.—Somerset Fair, Sept 1-4, inclusive, 1903. J. H. Gibson, Pres; S. M. Boone, Jr., Secy.

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FERNDALE, CAL.—Ferndale Agrl. Fair. Sept. 7 to 11, inclusive, 1903. L. P. Branstetter,, Pres.; W. H. Roberts, Sec.

GLEN BROOK, CAL.—Seventeenth District Agricultural Fair. William Griffin, secretary.

SANTA, ROSA, CAL.—4th. District Agrl. Fair. (date not set). J. P. Overton, Pres.; L. W. Berris, Treas.; Allen B. Lemmon, Secy.

CONNECTICUT.

BROOKLYN, CONN.—Agr. Fair. Sept. 9 & 10, 1903.

DANBURY, CONN.—Danbury Agr'l Fair. Oct. 5-10, 1903. S. H. Rundle, Pres.; G. M. Rundle, Secy.

HUNTINGTON, CONN.—Union Agr. Fair. Sept. 23 & 24, 1903. C. J. Makeley, Pres.; D. S. Clark, Treas.; S. T. Palmer, Secy.

LYME, CONN.—Lyme Grange Fair. Sept. 24-26, 1903. G. H. Strong, Pres.; H. B. Sisson, Treas.; J. W. Stark, Secy.

NEW MILFORD, CONN.—New Milford Agricultural Fair. Sept. 15-17, inclusive, 1903. J. LeRoy Buck, Pres.; J. E. Hungerford, Sec'y.

NEWTOWN, CONN.—Newtown Agrl. Fair. Sept. 29-Oct. 1, inclusive, 1903. T. E. Platt, Pres.; H. G. Curtis, Treas.; P. H. McCarthy, Secy.

NORWICH, CONN.—Agr. Fair. Sept. 15-17, inclusive, 1903.

PUTNAM, CONN.—Putnam Agr. Fair. Sept. 1-3, inclusive, 1903.

ROCKVILLE, CONN.—Rockville Fair Assn. Sept. 29-Oct. 1, 1903. A. Kingsbury, Pres.; F. A. Randall, Treas.; E. F. Badmington, Secy.

WILLIMANTIC, CONN.—Horseshoe Park Agricultural Association. Sept. 22-24, 1903. Chas. Gates, Pres.; Fred A. Sanderson, Treas.; T. R. Sadd, Sec,y.

FLORIDA.

DE FUNIAK SPRINGS, FLA.—Walton County Agrl. Fair. Oct. 30 & 31, 1903. B. P. Morris, Treas.; R. W. Storrs, Secy.

GEORGIA.

ATLANTA, GA.—Southern Inter-State Fair. Oct. 7-25, 1903. H. H. Cabaniss, Pres.; Jno. K. Ottley, Treas.; Frank Weldon, Secy.

MACON, GA.—Georgia State Fair, Oct. 21-31, 1903. Geo. A. Smith, Chairman.

IDAHO.

BOISE, IDAHO.—Boise Agrl. Fair. Oct. 12-17, inclusive, 1903. C. R. Shaw, Pres.

CALDWELL, IDAHO.—Canyon County Fair. Oct. 7-10, inclusive, 1903. D. D. Campbell, Pres.; W. R. Sebree, Treas.; L. S. Dill, Secy.

LEWISTON, IDAHO.—Lewistown, Agrl. Fair. Oct. 26-31, 1903. R. C. Beach, Pres.; J. T. Ray, Treas.; Van W. Hasbrouck, Secy.

ILLINOIS.

ALEDO, ILL.—Mercer County Agrl. Fair. Sep. 15-18, inclusive, 1903. W. D. Emerson, Secy.

ANNA ILL.—Union County Fair. Aug. 25-28, inclusive, 1903.

ATLANTA, ILL.—Logan County Fair. Sept. 1-4, inclusive, 1903.

AVON, ILL.—Avon Fair. Sept. 8-11, inclusive, 1903. D. R. Bowton, Pres.; Julian Churchill, Secy.

BELVIDERE, ILL.—Boone County Agricultural Society Fair. Sept. 1-4, inclusive, 1903. John Hannah, pres.; Wm. G. Greenlee, treas.; M. D. Perkins, secy.

BUSHNELL, ILL.—McDonough County Fair. August 11-14, inclusive, 1903. Geo. D. Bell, Pres.; J. H. Johnson, Secy.

CAMBRIDGE, ILL.—Henry County Agrl. Fair. Aug.17 to 21, inclusive, 1903. Theo. Bolten. stern, Sec.

CAMP POINT, ILLS.—Camp Point Park Assn. Fair. July 29-31, inclusive, 1903. M. W. Callahan, Pres.; H. G. Henry, Treas.; Isaac Cutter, Secy.

CARMI, ILL.—White County Agricultural Fair. Sept. 1-5 inclusive, 1903. W. A. Raglin, pres., F. E. Pomeroy, treas.; R. L. Organ, secy.

CARLINVILLE, ILL.—Macoupin County Fair. October 6-9, inclusive, 1903. A. Bates, Pres.; A. M. Boring, Treas.; Geo. J. Castle, Sec'y.

CARROLTON, ILL.—Green County Fair. Oct. 13-16, inclusive, 1903. J. P. Kahn, Pres.; C. H. Eldred, Treas.; S. E. Simpson, Secy.

CLEAR CREEK, ILL.—Putnam County Fair. Oct. 7-9, 1903.

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DELAVAN, ILL.—Tazewell County Agrl. Fair. Aug. 25-28, inclusive, 1903. J. W. Crabb, Pres.; Daniel Reardon, Treas.; J. O. Jones, Secy.
ELMWOOD, ILLS.—Elmwood Fair Assn. Sept. 15-18, inclusive, 1903. W. J. Smith, Pres.; L. W. Hurff, Treas.; C. A. Snyder, Secy.
FAIRBURY, ILL.—Fairbury Fair. Aug. 31-Sept. 4. 1903. J. W. McDowell, pres.; M. M. Jacobs, secy.
FARMER CITY, ILL.—Farmer City Fair Ass'n. Aug. 11 to 14, inclusive, 1903. J. R. Robinson, Sec.
FREEPORT, ILL.—Northern Ills. Agrl. Assn. Fair. Sept. 1-5, inclusive, 1903. J. E. Taggart, Pres.; T. H. Hollister, Secy.
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GREENUP, ILLS.—Cumberland County Fair. Sept. 1-5, inclusive, 1903. F. M. Arthur, Pres.; John Conzet, Treas.; Wm. Wylde, Secy.
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HOMER, ILL.—The Homer Fair. Aug. 25-28, inclusive, 1903. W. B. Whitelock, Pres.; Chas. Chas D. Babb, Treas.; J. Bennett, Sec'y.
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LE ROY, ILL.—Le Roy Fair & Agrl. Assn. Aug. 18-21, 1903. John McConnell, Pres.; D. L. Buckworth, Secy.
LIBERTYVILLE, ILL.—Lake County Agrl. Fair. Sept. 1-4, inclusive, 1903. W. E. Miller, Pres.; E. W. Parkhurst, Treas.; O. E. Churchill, Secy
MACOMB, ILL.—The Macomb Fair. August 17-21, inclusive, 1903. Dr. W. O. Bialsdell, pres.; F. R. Keyle, secy.
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MORRISON, ILL.—Whiteside County Fair. Sept. 1-4, inclusive, 1903.
MT. CARROLL, ILL.—Carroll County Fair. Sept. 15-18, inclusive, 1903. Jos. A. Warner, Pres.; Cal. M. Feeser, Secy.
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SHELBYVILLE, ILL.—Shelbyville County Fair. Sept. 26-Oct. 3 1903. Jas. K. Dickerson, Pres.; velt, Pres.; Chas. E. Keller, Treas.; G. A. Roberts, Secy.
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STERLING, ILL.—Great Northwestern Fair. Aug. 25-28 inclusive, 1903. J. T. Williams, pres.; J. H. Lawrence, treas.; W. S. Kilgour, Secy.
WARREN, ILL.—Jo Daviess County Fair. Aug 18-21, 1903.
WATSEKA, ILLS.—Iroquois County Fair; Sept. 1-4, 1903. H. H. Hotoling, Pres.; W. A. Conley, Treas.; L. F. Watson, Secy.
WATSON, ILL.—Effingham County Fair. Sept. 15 & 16, 1903.
WENONA, ILL.—Marshall County Fair. Sept. 16-18, 1903.
WOODSTOCK, ILL.—McHenry County Fair. Aug. 25-28, 1903. F. L. Hatch, Pres.; Fremont Hoy, Treas.; Geo. A. Hunt, Secy.
WYOMING, ILLS.—Wyoming Fair. Aug. 25-28, inclusive, 1903. J. W. Smith, Pres; G. R. Mac Clyment, Secy.
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BEDFORD, IND.—Bedford Fair Assn. Sept. 1-5 inclusive, 1903. W. A. Brown, Treas.; S. T. Zollman, Secy.
BOONEVILLE, IND.—Big Booneville Fair. Aug 31-Sept 5, 1903. C. Pelzer, pres.; J. F. Ruhanison, secy.
BRAZIL, IND.—Brazil Fair & Racing Assn. Sept. 1-5, inclusive, 1903. John Daughtery, Pres.; Geo. H. Morgel, Treas.; Arthur D. Davis, Secy.
CHRISNEY, IND.—Spencer County Fair. Sept. 7-12 inclusive, 1903. J. C. Haines, pres.; Flaving Jones, treas.; J. P. Chrisney, secy.
COLUMBUS, IND.—Bartholmew County Fair. Sept. 9-11 inclusive 1903. Ed. Redman, Jr. Secy
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CORYDON, IND.—Harrison County Fair. Aug. 24-28, inclusive, 1903. S. T. Wolfe, Pres.; Amzi Weaver, Secy.
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HUNTINGTON, IND.—Huntington County Fair. Sept. 15-19 inclusive, 1903. Robt. Simonton, Pres.; Julius Dick, Treas.; A. L. Beck, Secy.
INDIANAPOLIS, IND.—Indiana State Fair. Sept. 14-19, inclusive, 1903. John L. Thompson, Pres.; J. W. Lagrange, Treas.; Chas Downing, E m 14, State House, Secy.
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KOKOMO, IND.—Kokomo Driving Park Assn. Fair. July 28-31, 1903. H. H. Leach, Secy.
LA FAYETTE, IND.—Tippicanoe County Fair. Sept. 1-4, inclusive, 1903. John M. Cason, Secy.; F. H. Yundt, Treas.; C. W. Travis, Secy.
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SALEM, IND.—Salem Fair Assn. Sept. 1-4, inclusive, 1903. W. W. Stevens, Secy.
VALPARAISO, IND.—Porter County Fair. Sept. 8-11, inclusive, 1903. John Brady, Pres.; C. W. Bartholomew, Treas.; E. S. Beach, Secy.
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ANAMOSA, IA.—Anamosa Fair. Aug. 24-28, inclusive, 1903. E. R. Moore, Secy.
ATLANTIC, IA.—Cass County Fair. Sept. 14-17, inclusive, 1903. W. J. Harris, Pres.; J. A. McWald, Treas.; S. W. W. Straight, Secy.
AUDUBON, IA.—Audubon Agrl. Fair. Sept. 1-4, inclusive, 1903. Geo. W. Hoover, Pres.; H. W. Wilson, Treas.; O. B. Train, Secy.
BLOOMFIELD, IA.—Daves County Fair. Sept. 15-18, 1903. Harry Wray, Pres.; E. K. Herr, Treas.; J. C. Bronhard, Secy.
BRITT,— IA.—Hancock County Fair. Sept. 15-17, inclusive, 1903. Jno. S. Fisk, secy.
BUFFALO CENTRE, IA.—Buffalo Centre Driving and District Fair Asn., Sept. 9-10, 1903. C. E. Holcomb, Pres.; J. W. Woodcock, Secy.
BURLINGTON, IA.—Burlington Associatioon Fair September 8-11 inclusive, 1903.
CENTRAL CITY, IA.—Wapsii Valley Fair Asso. Sept. 22-25, inclusive, 1903. D. E. Hedges, Pres; Fred McLeod, Treas; E. E. Henderson, Secy.
CLARION, IA.—Wright County Agrl. Society Fair Sept. 8-11, inclusive, 1903. W. C. Brown, Secy. and Mgr.
CLINTON, IA.—Clinton District Agr'l Fine Stock and Fair Assn. Sept. 8-11 inclusive, 1903. Geo. D. McDaid, Pres; Fred Pixon, Treas; J. B. Ahrens, Secy. Lyons, Ia.
COLUMBUS JUNCTION, IA. — Agricultural Fair. September 1-4 inclusive, 1903.
CORNING, IA.—Agrl. Fair, Aug. 24-27, inclusive, 1903. W. J. Brennan, Pres.; J. M. DeVase, Secy.
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ELDON, IA.—Big Four district Agricultural Association Fair. September 1-4 clusive, 1903. D. A. Jay, pres.; Mark Hille, treas.; W. P. Bagley, secy.
ELKADER, IA.—Elkader Fair Assn. Aug. 25-28 inclusive, 1903. Jos. Lamm, Pres.; A. J. Carpenter, Treas.; J. A. Kramer, Secy.
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FAIRFIELD, IA.—Jefferson County Agricultural Fair. September 8-11, inclusive, 1903. John P. Moriarty, pres.; H. V. Downs, treas.; L. J. Marry, secy.
GREENFIELD, IA.—Adair County Fair Association. Sept. 8-10, inclusive, 1903. H. B Hates, Pres.; J. E. Brooks Treas.; W. W. Burrell, Sec'y.
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HEDRICK, IA.—Hedrick Fair. Aug. 24-27, 1903. L. E. Meeker, Secy.
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LE MARS, IA.—Plymouth County Fair. Sept. 1-4, inclusive, 1903. P. S. Brick, Pres.; E. T. Bedell, Treas.; Jno. R. Shaffer, Secy.
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MANCHESTER, IA.—Delaware County Fair. Sept. 2-4, inclusive, 1903. M. L. Van Auker, Pres.; L. Matthenes, Treas. Jas. Bishop, Secy.
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MAQUOKETA, IA.—Jackson County Fair. Sept. 1-4, inclusive, 1903. Geo. Cooper, Pres.; B. D. Ely, Secy.
MARCUS, IA.—Cherokee County Fair. Aug. 12-14, inclusive, 1903. F. E. Paine, Secy.
MARION, IA.—Inter-State Fair Assn. Aug. 17-21, 1903. W. A. Austin, Pres; T. J. Davis, Treas; E. E Parsons, Secy.
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MONTICELLO, IA.—Jones County Fair. Sept. 14-18, inclusive, 1903. R. C. Stirton, Pres.; C. S. Bidwell, Treas.; W. G. Ellers, Secy.
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OSKALOOSA, IA.—Mahaska County Fair. Sept. 8-11, 1903. D. A. Himes, Pres.; G. W. Shockley, Treas.; Ed. Prichett, Secy.
ORANGE CITY, IA.—Sioux County Fair. Sept. 16-18, inclusive, 1903. Vander Merde, Pres.; C. L. Wilcox, Treas.; H. Slikerveer, Secy.
RED OAK, IA.—Montgomery County Fair, Aug. 17-20, inclusive, 1903. E. M. Murphy, Pres.; D. B. Gunn, Secy.
ROCK VALLEY, IA.—District Fair, Sept. 9-11, 1903. Dennis Scanlan, Pres.; Jas. Walpole, Secy.
SAC CITY, IA.—Sac County Agr'l Fair. Aug. 11-14, 1903. Thos. Batil, Pres.; T. G. Keir, Treas.; Frank V. Healy, Secy.
SHELDON, IA.—Sheldon District Fair, Aug. 26 28, 1903. Henry Shipley, Pres.; W. M. Bannager, Secy.
STRAWBERRY POINT, IA.—Strawberry Point Dist. Fair, Sept. 8-11, 1903.
SUTHERLAND, IA.—O'Brien County Agrl. Fair. Sept. 2-4, inclusive, 1903. T. B. Bark, Pres.; J. B. Murphy, Treas.; J. C. Briggs, Secy.
TOLEDO, IA.—Tama County Fair. Sept. 15-18, inclusive, 1903. Robt. Cowan, Pres; H. A. Shanklin, Treas; A. G. Smith, Secy.
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VINTON, IA.—Benton County Fair. Sept. 15-18, 1903. I. Mitchell, Pres.; J. E. Marietta, Treas.; Geo. D. McElroy, Secy.
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HENDERSON, KY.—Great Tri-County Fair and Races. Sept. 29-Oct. 3 inclusive, 1903. Jacob Zimbro, Jr., secy.
LAWRENCEBURG, KY.—Lawrenceburg Fair Assn. Aug. 18-21, inclusive, 1903. W. F. Lillard, Pres.; G. W. Walker, Treas.; G. G. Speer, Secy.
LEXINGTON, KY.—Lexington Horse Show, Fair and Carnival. Aug. 10-15, inclusive. Geo A. Bain, Pres.; W. F. Warren, Treas.; Paul M. Justice, Secy.
LONDON, KY.—Laurel County Fair. Aug. 26 to 28, inclusive, 1903. J. T. Williams, Pres.; E. A. Chilton, Sec.
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OWENSBORO, KY.—Kentucky State Fair. Sept. 21-26, inclusive, 1903. L. L. Dorsey, Anchorage, Ky., pres.; J. L. Ormsby, treas.; L. B. Shropshire, Secy. Louisville, Ky.
SHELBYVILLE, KY.—Agrl. Fair. Aug. 25-28, inclusive, 1903. Jas. M. Logan, Secy.
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UNIONTOWN, KY.—Uniontown Fair. Aug. 11 to 15, inclusive, 1903. W. C. Bland, Sec.

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TIMONIUM, MD.—Baltimore County Fair. Sept. 1-5, inclusive, 1903. James S. Nussear, Secy.

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CANTON, N. Y.—St. Lawrence County Fair. Sept. 15-18, inclusive, 1903. Hon. L. W. Russell, Pres.; J. F. Hammond, Treas.; Worth Chamberlain, Secy.

CHATHAM, N. Y.—Columbia County Agrl. Fair. Sept. 1,4, inclusive, 1903. Geo. McClellan, Pres.; W. R. Starks, Treas.; W. A. Dardess, Secy.

CORTLAND, N. Y.—Cortland County Fair, Aug. 25-28, inclusive, 1903. W. J. Greenman, Secy.

DELHI, N. Y.—Delaware County Agl. Fair. Sept. 8 to 12, inclusive. A. J. Nicol, Pres.; J. E. Thompson, Treas.; W. A. Elliott, Sec.

DRYDEN, N. Y.—Dryden Agr'l Fair. Sept. 15-17, inclusive, 1903. S. G. Lupton, Pres.; D. T. Wheeler, Treas.; J. B. Wilson, Secy.

DUNKIRK, N. Y.—Chautauqua County Fair. Sept. 1-4 inclusive, 1903. Hon. I. F. Nixon, Pres.; F. R. Green, Treas.; H. M. Clarke, Secy.

FRANKLINVILLE, N. Y.—Franklinville Agrl. Fair. Aug. 25-28, inclusive, 1903. E. M. Adams, Pres.; A. D. Gould, Treas.; W. N. Sill, Secy.

FREDONIA, N. Y.—Chautauqua County Fair. Sept. 1-4, inclusive, 1903. H. M. Clark, Secy.

GROUVERNEUR, N. Y.—Grouverneur A. & M. Society Fair. Aug. 25-28, inclusive, 1903. A. H. Turnbull, Pres.; L. B. Murray, Treas.; D. A. Leggett, Secy.

HORNELLSVILLE, N. Y.—Hornellsville Farmers Club Fair. Aug. 24-28, inclusive. M. J. Harding, Pres.; Chas. Adsit, Treas.; Clyde E. Shults, Secy.

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JOHNSTOWN, N. Y.—Fulton County Fair. Sept. 1-4, inclusive, 1903. J. L. Getman, Pres.; C. P. Willard, Treas.; E. J. Dorn, Secy.

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LOCKPORT, N. Y.—Niagara County Agrl. Fair Sept. 17-19, inclusive, 1903. W. A. Samyed, Pres.; J. M. Woodward, Treas.;—C. L. Nichols, Secy.

MARGARETVILLE, N. Y.—Catskill Mt. Agrl. Fair. Aug. 25-28, 1903. Henry M. Contter, Pres.; J. H. Hitt, Treas.; W. H. Eells, Secy.

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MORRIS, N. Y.—Morris Fair Assn. Sept. 29 Oct. 1, inclusive, 1903. T. O. Duroe, Pres.; D. I. Laurence, Treas.; D. C. Winton, Secy.

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NEW YORK, N. Y.—Old Guard Fair. Oct. 5-10, inclusive, 1903. A. Chasseaud, Pres.; Capt. B. J. Rogers, Treas.; Adjt. Geo. H. Wyatt, Secy.

NORWICH, N. Y.—Chenango County Fair. Sept. 1-4, inclusive, 1903. H. O. Hale, Pres.; W. F. Wilber, Treas.; Nelson P. Bonney, Secy.

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PERRY, N. Y.—Silver Lake Fair, Sept. 29-Oct. 2, inclusive, 1903. S. W. Hart, Secy.

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ROME, N. Y.—Oneida County Fair. Sept. 14-18, inclusive, 1903. J. B. Cushman, Secy.

SANDY CREEK, N. Y.—Sandy Creek, Richland & Boylston Agr'l. Society Fair. Aug. 25-28, 1903. H. Tuttle, Pres.; George T. Smith, Treas.; H. L. Wallan, Secy.

SCHENEVUS, N. Y.—Schenevus Valley Fair. Aug. 18-20, inclusive, 1903. H. Bernard, Pres.; W. A. Stever, Sec.

SCHOHARIE, N. Y.—Schoharie County Fair, Sept. 1-4, inclusive, 1903. Clyde A. Proper, Secy.

SYRACUSE, N. Y.—New York State Fair. Sept. 7-12, inclusive, 1903. Frank W. Higgins, Pres.; Al. E. Brown, Treas.; S. C. Shaver, Secy.

TRUMANSBURG, N. Y.—Union County Fair. Sept. 1-4, inclusive, 1903. N. P. Biggs, Pres.; H. A. Mosher, Treas.; Myron Boardman, Secy.

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BOWLING GREEN, O.—Wood County Agrl. Fair. Sept. 22-26, 1903. A. E. Royce, Pres.; Jas. G. Hickox, Treas.; J. B. Newton, Secy.

BUCYRUS, O.—Crawford County Fair. Oct. 6-9, inclusive, 1903. J. W. Stuckman, Pres.; M. Anck, Treas.; G. W. Miller, Secy.

CANAL DOVER, O.—Tuscawaras County Fair. Oct. 13-16, inclusive, 1903. Sam'l Toomy, Pres.; A. C. Ruff, Treas.; J. S Kerns, Sec.

CANTON, O.—Stark County Fair. Sept. 15-18, inclusive, 1903. J. J Snyder, Pres.; H. A. Wise, Treas.; J. H. Selman, Secy.

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GROVE CITY, O.—Grove City Assn. Fair. Aug. 19-22, inclusive, 1903. Jas. M. Briggs, Pres.; A. L. Nichols, Treas.; G. B. Darnell, Secy.

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KENTON, OHIO.—Hardin County Fair. Aug. 25-28, inclusive. J. M. Fisher, Pres.; T. P. Evens, Treas.; J. R. Smith, Secy.

KINSMAN, O.—Kinsman Stock and Agricultural Association. Aug. 26-28, inclusive, 1903. H. J. Ward, Pres.; J. R. Hamilton, Treas.; H. J. Tobes, Sec.

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LONDON, O.—Madison County Fair. Aug. 25-28, inclusive. L. N. Kilgore, Pres.; M. L. Rea Treas.; E. B. Pancake, Secy.

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MARYSVILLE, O.—Union County Agrl. Fair. Sept. 29-Oct. 2, inclusive, 1903. Jno. K. Dodge, Pres.; C. S. Chapman, Treas.; W. M. Titsworth, Secy.

MONTPELIER, O.—Williams County Agrl. Fair. Sept. 8-12, inclusive, 1903 C. R. Betts, Pres. C. R. Fyke, Treas.; C C. Lattanner, Secy.

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NAPOLEON, O.—Napoleon County Fair. Sept. 1-4, inclusive, 1903. J. L. Hatter, Secy.

NEWARK, O.—Licking County Fair. Sept. 29-Oct. 2, inclusive, 1903. J. M. Farmer, Secy.

NEW LEXINGTON, O.—Perry County Fair. Sept. 16-19, inclusive, 1903. W. F. Allen, Secy.

OTTAWA, OHIO.—Putnam County Fair. Oct. 6-10, inclusive, 1903. A. P. Sandles, Secy.

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URBANA, O.—Champaign County Fair. Aug. 11-14, inclusive, 1903. C. H. Ganson, Pres.; J. W. Crawl, Secy.
VAN WERT, O.—Van Wert County Fair. Sept. 8-11, inclusive, 1903. J. F. Longworth, Secy.
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WELLINGTON, O.—Wellington Union Agrl Fair. Aug. 19-21, inclusive, 1903. E. C. Branson, Pres.; W. B. Visher, Treas.; C. E. Dirlam, Secy.
WELLSTON, O.—Wellston Park County Fair. July 29-31, inclusive. J. C. Clutts, Pres.; J. W. Hogan, Treas.; W. H. Kelley, Secy.
WOODSFIELD, O.—Monroe County Fair. Sept. 1-3 inclusive, 1903. W. C. Moonty, Pres. and Treas.; Geo. P. Darr, Secy.
WOOSTER, O.—Wayne County Fair. Sept. 30-Oct. 2, 1903. Jno. C. MacClaran, Pres.; W. A. Wilson, Treas.; G. J. Ebright, Secy.
XENIA, O.—Greene County Fair. Aug. 4-7, inclusive, 1903. C. M. Austin, Pres.; H. L. Smith, Treas.; R. R. Grieve, Secy.
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MILTON, PA.—Milton Fair. Oct. 6-9, inclusive, 1903. Wm. H. Hackenberg, Pres.; A. L. Swartz, Treas.; Edwin Paul, Secy.
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SEATTLE, WASH.—Seattle Agr'l. Fair. Aug. 1-29, 1903.
SPOKANE, WASH.—Spokane Agrl. Fair. Oct. 5-13, 1903.
WALLA WALLA, WASH.—Agrl. Fair. Oct. 19-24, inclusive, 1903.
WHATCOM, WASH.—Whatcom County Fair. Aug. 31-Sept. 5, inclusive, 1903. R. L. Kline, Secy.

WEST VIRGINIA.

CLARKSBURG, W. VA.—West Virginia Central Agrl. & Mechanical Fair. Sept. 1-4, inclusive 1903. S. L. Denham, Pres.; Thos. S. Spates, Treas.; James N. Hess, Secy.
MARTINSBURG, W. VA.—Inwood Fair, Aug. 18-21 inclusive, 1903. Jas. F. Thompson, Pres; C. W. Boyer, Secy.
MIDDLEBOURNE, W. VA.—Tyler County Fair, Aug. 25-28, inclusive, 1903. S. C. Steeley, Pres; W. E. Kirschner, Treas; C. B. Riggle, Secy.
PENNSBORO, W. VA.—Ritchie County Fair, Sept. 8-11, inclusive, 1903. L. P. Wilson, Pres.; Dr. Geo. P. Sigler, Treas.; W. A. Strickler, Secy.
WESTON, W. VA.—Lewis County Fair. Assn. Aug. 24-27, inclusive, 1903. R. H. Hall, Pres.; Frank Whelan, Secy.
WHEELING, W. VA.—West Virginia State Fair. Sept. 7-11, inclsive, 1903. A. Reymann, Pres.; Geo. Hook, Secy.

WISCONSIN.

APPLETON, WIS.—Fox River Fair & Driving Assn., Sept., 2-4, 1903. W. L. Root, Pres; J. J. Sherman, Treas; M. F. Barteau, Secy.
AMHERST, WIS.—Portage County Fair.—Sept. 15-18, inclusive, 1903. Geo. W. Smith, Pres.; J. O. Foxen, Treas.; A. J. Smith, Secy.
ARCADIA, WIS.—Agrl. and Driving Assn. Fair, Sept. 2-4, inclusive, 1903. John C. Mix, Pres; H. E. Simpson, Treas; D. J. Steevens, Secy.
AUGUSTA, WIS.—Eau Clair County Fair. (dates not set). J. H. Livermore, Pres.; A. E. Bradford, Treas.; Bert Frederick, Secy.
BEAVER DAM, WIS.—Dodge County Fair, Sept. 28-Oct. 2, 1903. A. L. Wallace, Pres.; H. B. Drake, Treas.; C. W. Harvey, Secy.

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BELOIT, WIS.—Beloit Interstate Fair. Aug. 18-21, inclusive, 1903. A. J. Lovejoy, Pres.; B. P. Elarded, Treas.; D. H. Pollock, Secy.
BERLIN, WIS.—Berlin Agrl. & Industrial Assn. Aug. 25-28, 1903. H. W. Temme, Pres.; E. Grant Bunce, Treas.; Horace E. Stedman, Secy.
CEDARBURG, WIS.—Ozaukee County Agrl. Fair. Sept. 14-16 inclusive,. W. H. Rintleman, Pres.; L. E. Schroeder, Treas.; Jacob Dietrich, Secy.
CHIPPEWA FALLS, WIS.—North Wis. State Fair. Sept. 15-18 inclusive, 1903. Jesse R. Sharp, Pres.; W. W. Flinn, Treas.; Geo. B. McCall, Secy..
ELLSWORTH, WIS.—Pierce County Fair, Sept. 22-25, inclusive, 1903. J. W. Hancock, Pres; H. R. Huber, Treas; E. S. Doolittle, Secy.
EVANSVILLE, WIS.—Evansville Rock Agrl. Assn. Sept. 1-4, inclusive, 1903. W. E. Campbell, Pres.; Geo. L. Pullen, Treas.; W. W. Gillies, Secy.
FOND DU LAC, WIS.—Kite Park Fair Assn. Sept. 8-10 inclusive, 1903. Dr. T. F. Mayhan, Pres.; Jas. T. Dana, Treas.; Wm. De Steese, Secy.
GALESVILLE, WIS.—Trenpealean County Fair. Aug. 25-27, 1903. D. D. Chappell, Pres.; Walter Young, Treas.; A. C. Hagestad, Secy.
JEFFERSON, WIS.—Jefferson County and Rock River Valley Agr'l Society Fair. Sept. 22-25, 1903. J. H. Washburn, Pres.; F. F. Kisbert, Treas.; O. F. Roessler, Secy.
KILBOUEN CITY, WIS.—Luter County Fair. Oct. 5-7 inclusive, 1903. F. Marshall, Pres.; Geo. H. Campbell, Secy.
LA CROSSE, WIS.—LaCrosse Inter State Fair. Sept 21 to 26, inclusive, 1903. T. H. Spence, Pres.; E. M. Wing, Treas.; C. S. Van Auken, Secy.
LANCASTER, WIS.—Grant County Fair. Sept. 9-12, 1903. D. Abrams, Pres.; C. W. Ray, Treas.; Geo. E. Budd, Secy.
MANITOWOC, WIS.—Manitowoc Industrial Assn Fair. Sept. 16-18 inclusive, 1903. Chris. Muth Pres.; John Standt, Treas.; Edw. L. Kelley, Secy.
MENOMINEE, WIS.—Dunn County Fair. Sept. 15-18, inclusive, 1903. J. B. Chickering, Pres.; F. A. Vasey, Treas.; Geo. Galloway, Secy.
MINERAL POINT, WIS.—Southwestern Wis. Fair, Aug. 18-21, inclusive, 1903. G. G. Cox, Pres; P. Allen, Jr., Treas; W. J. Penhallegon, Secy.
MILWAUKEE, WIS.—Wisconsin State Fair. Sept. 7-11, inclusive, 1903. Geo. McKerron, Pres.; John M. True, Secy., Madison.
MONDOVI, WIS.—Buffalo Agrl. Fair. (dates not set.) Frank Schaetle, Pres.; N. A. Peeso, Treas.; A. J. Bransted, Secy.
NEILSVILLE, WIS.—Clarke County Fair. Sept 1-4, 1903. Ezra Tompkins, Pres.; G. L. Redmond Treas.; Homer C. Clark, Secy.
OCONTO, WIS.—Oconto County Agrl. Fair. Sept. 1-4, inclusive, 1903. O. A. Ellis, Pres.; J. P. Frank, Secy.
PLATEVILLE, WIS.—The Big Badger Fair. Sept. 1-4, inclusive, 1903. J. P. Rundell, Pres.; John Woodward, Treas.; C. H. Gribble, Secy.
PLYMOUTH, WIS.—Sheboygan County Fair. Sept. 1-4, inclusive, 1903. A. H. Schram, Pres; E. A. Dow, Treas; Otto Gaffron, Secy.
SENECA, WIS.—Crawford County Fair. Oct. 1-3, inclusive, 1903. F. Young, Pres.; R. Morris, Treas.; J. F. Sprotsy, Eastman, Wis., Secy.
VIROQUA, WIS.—Vernon County Fair. Sept. 15-18, inclusive, 1903. F. M. Minshall, Pres; J. H. McLees, Treas; F. W. Alexander, Secy.
WEYAUWEGA, WIS.—Waupaca County Agrl. Fair. Sept. 22-25 inclusive, 1903. Albert Smith, Pres.; Henry Becker, Treas; Wm. Woods, Secy.

CANADA.

AYLMER, ONT.—Canada's Great County Fair. Sept. 7-11, 1903. A. A. Leslie, Pres.; D. H. Rice, Secy.
BOWMANVILLE, ONT.—West Durham Agrl. Fair, Oct. 7-8, 1903. James Deyman, Pres; M. A. James, Mayor, Treas. and Secy.
CHATHAM, ONT., CANADA.—West Kent Agrl. Fair. Oct. 6-8, inclusive, 1903. Jas. Chinnick, Pres.; R. G. Fleming, Treas.; Henry Robinson, Secy.
DRUMBO, ONT.—Blenheim Agr'l. Society Fair. Sept. 29-30, 1903. Thos. S. Telfer, Secy.
DUNNVILLE, ONT.—Western Branch Agr'l Society Fair. Sept. 30-Oct. 1, 1903. Sol. S. Smith, Pres.; W. A. Fry, Secy.
HALIFAX, N. S., CANADA.—Novia Scotia Provincial Fair. Sept. 9-17, 1903. Hon. J. W. Langley, Pres.; D. R. Clark, Treas.;J. E. Wood, Secy.
KEMPTVILLE, ONT.—Oxford Agrl. Fair. Sept. 24 & 25, 1903. L. H. Guest, Treas. & Secy.
LONDON, ONT., CAN.—Western Fair Assn. Sept. 13-19, 1903. Col. W. M. Gartsshore, Pres.; D. McKenzie, Treas.; J. A. Nelles, Secy.
NEW WESTMINSTER, B. C.—Royal Agrl. and Industrial Society Fair. Sept. 29-Oct. 2, inclusive, 1903. T. J. Trapp, Pres.; G. D. Brymner Treas.; W. H. Keary, Secy.
OTTAWA, ONT.—Central Canada Exhibition. Assn. Sept. 11-19, 1903. Wm. Hutchinson, Pres.; T. C. Bates, Treas.; E. M. Mahon, Secy.
PRESCOTT, ONT. CANADA—South Grenville Agrl. Fair, Sept. 8-10, inclusive, 1903. James Casgrove, Pres.; T. R. Mellville, Treas. and Secy.
SAULT STE. MARIE, CANADA.—East Algoma Agrl. Fair. Oct. 6 & 7, 1903. Jno. Dawson, Pres.; Wm. Brown, Treas. and Secy.
SHERBROOK, QUEBEC, CAN.—Canada's Great Eastern Exhibition. Aug. 29-Sept. 5, 1903. N. T. Dussault, Pres.; W. M. Tomlinson, Secy.
TORONTO, ONT.—Industrial Exhibition. Aug. 31-Sept. 12, 1903. J. O. Orr, Mgr. & Secy.
VANCOUVER, B. C.—Agrl. Fair. Oct. 3-5, inclusive 1903.
VANLEEK HILL, ONT., CAN.—Prescott County Agricultural Society Fair. Sept. 10-12, inclusive, 1903. James Allison, pres.; Samuel Howes, vice pres.; Fred W. Thistlewaite, Mgr. treas., and secy.

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CEDAR RAPIDS, IA.—Cedar Rapids Carnival. Oct. 5-10, inclusive, 1903. Geo. K. Barton, Pres.; G. L. Rathrock, ,Secy.
CHATTANOOGA, TENN. — Spring Festival. May 4-9, incl., 1903. Mayor C. R. Evans, Pres. E. Y. Chapin, secy. O. A. Tanner, supt. of amusements.
CHEHALIS, WASH.—Carnival. July. 8-11, 1903. Arnold Carnival Co., attractions.
CHETOPA, KAS.—Merchants Street Fair and Carnival. May 27-30, 1903. C. K. Czarlinsky, 2738 Stoddard St., St. Louis, Mo., Pro.
CHICAGO, ILL.—Centennial Celebration. Sept. 26-Oct. 3, 1903.
CHILLICOTHE, MO.—Business Men's Carnival, June 22-27, 1903. J. B. Meyers, Secy.; Patterson & Brainard furnish attractions.
CLEVELAND, O.—United Trades and Labor Carnival, June 22-July 4, 1903. S. Stillwell, Pres.; Morris & Berger Carnival Co. attractions.
CONNELTON, IND.—Merchants Street Fair. May 25-30, 1903. Hall's Carnival Co., attractions.
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CUMBERLAND, MD.—Eagles' Carnival and Spring Festival, May 25-30, inclusive, 1903. Jos. C. Kennedy, Box 323, Secy.
DETROIT, MICH.—Merchants' Carnival, July 6-13, 1903. Gaskill-Mundy Carnival Co. attractions.
DEXTER, MO.—Free Street Fair. May 18-23, Indiana Carnival Co., attractions.
DULUTH, MINN.—Eagles Carnival. July 6-11, 1903. Ferari Bros. Carnival Co. Attractions.
EAST RADFORD, VA.—Merchant's & Firemen's Free Street Fair, April 27-May 2, inclusive, 1903. R. E. McNeil, Secy. Layton Carnival Co. attractions.
EAU CLAIRE, WIS.—Mid-Summer Carnival. June 15-20, 1903. Geo. L. Blum, Pres; J. F. Roberts, Secy.
ELIZABETHTOWN, KY.—Merchants' Free Street Fair, June 1-6, inclusive, 1903. J. L. Altman, Secy. Great Eastern Street Fair Co. attractions.
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EMPORIA, KAN.—Redmen's Carnival. May 4-9, inclusive, 1903. Patterson & Brainerd furnish attractions. Frank McCain, Secy.
EVANSVILLE, IND.—Merchants' Free Street Fair and Carnival. May 11-16, inclusive, 1903. Wright's Carnival Co., Attractions. V. Dixon, Secy.
FARMINGTON, IA.—Street Fair and Carnival. (dates not set.) Frank D. Carr, Secy.
FORT PLAIN, N. Y.—Street Fair. Sept. 14-19, 1903. Frank J. Ehle, Pres; Emil Rebell, Secy.
FORT WAYNE, IND.—Eagles Carnival. June 22-27, 1903. Ferari Bros. Carnival Co., Attractions. C. B. Bryson, Secy.
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GREENVILLE, O.—Celebration. July 2-4, inclusive, 1903. Prof. Alvini, Secy.
HARRISBURG, PA.—Eagles' Carnival, June 15-20, 1903. W. S. Heck Carnival Co. attractions
HARRODSBURG, KY.—Street Fair and Carnival. Apr. 27-May 2, inclusive, 1903. W. H. Piker, Secy.
HASTINGS, NEB.—K. of P. Street Fair. May 4-9, inclusive, 1903.
HAVANA, ILLS.—Harvest Festival and Carnival, Aug. 4-8, inclusive, 1903. E. H. Todd, Pro. and Mgr.
HENDERSON, KY.—Mid-summer Fair, Races and Carnival. June 30-July 4 inclusive, 1903. Jacob Zimbro, Jr., secy.
HUTCHINSON, KAS.—Business Men's Carnival. May 11-16, 1903. Ed. M. Moore, Secy. Patterson & Brainard furnish attractions.
INDEPENDENCE, KAS.—Street Fair and Merchants Carnival. May 20-23, inclusive, 1903. C. K. Czarlinsky, 2738 Stoddard St., St. Louis, Mo., Secy.
IOLA, KAN.—Eagles Carnival. June 8-13, inclusive, 1903. Patterson & Brainerd Attractions. A. R. Berryhill, Secy.
JACKSON, MICH.—K. of P. Carnival. Aug. 24-29, 1903.
JACKSON, TENN.—K. of P. Street Fair, Oct. 12-17, inclusive, 1903.
JAMESTOWN, N. Y.—Merchant's Carnival. Aug 10-15. A. W. Brodhead, Secy.
JOHNSON CITY, TENN.—Merchant's & Firemen's Free Street Fair, May 11-16, 1903. W. Duhe, Secy. Layton Carnival Co. attractions; Bert Hass, promoter.
JOHNSTOWN, PA.—Merchants Carnival, (enclosed). July 13-18, 1903. Chas. Young, Secy.
JOPLIN, MO.—Merchants' Spring Festival, May 25-30, 1903. O. P. M. Wiley, promoter.
KNIGHTSTOWN, IND.—K. of P. Street Fair. June 29-July 4, 1903. Hall's Carnival Co., attractions.
KNOXVILLE, TENN.—Firemans Free Street Fair and Carnival. April 27-May 2, 1903. Oriental Carnival Co., attr.
LAKE CITY, IA.—Industrial Exhibition and Street Fair Carnival. Aug. 18-21, inclusive, 1903. T. B. Hotchkiss, Secy. and Treas.
LANCASTER, PA.—Eagles Carnival. June 1-6, inclusive, 1903. Heck Carnival Co., attractions.
LA SALLE, ILL.—Street Fair. Oct. 6-10, inclusive, 1903. W. B. Hunner, Pres.; Alf. Shelton, Secy.
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LITTLE ROCK, ARK.—Spring Festival and Street Fair, May 18-23, 1903. J. Tunis Osbourn, Pro.; Gaskill-Mundy Carnival Co. attractions.
LYNCHBURG, VA.—U. C. T. Carnival, May 11-16, inclusive, 1903.
McKEESPORT, PA.—Merchant's Free Street Fair. July 13-18, 1903. Al. Good, Secy. Will S. Heck Carnival Co., attractions.
MALDEN, MO.—Free Street Fair. May 11-16, 1903. Indiana Carnival Co., attractions.
MARSHALLTOWN, IA.—Carnival, (dates not set). Geo. Solomon, Secy.
MARTINS FERRY, O.—Firemen's Carnival and Street Fair, July 6-11, 1903. Heyward Long, Secy.
MIDDLETOWN, OHIO.—Red Mens' Free Street Fair and Carnival, June 1-6, inclusive, 1903. Wm. Fabing, Secy.
MINNEAPOLIS, MINN.—June Fair and Carnival, June 1-13, 1903. A. J. Mullen, Secy.
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MOBERLY, MO.—Merchant's Carnival, June 15-20, inclusive, 1903. S. B. Clapp, Pres. Patterson & Brainerd furnish attractions.
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MONTICELLO, IND.—Band Carnival & Merchant's Free Street Fair. June 8-13, inclusive, 1903. Royal Carnival Co., attractions.
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MUNCIE, IND.—Merchants' carnival, July 20-25, 1903. Gaskill-Mundy Carnival Co. attractions.
NEBRASKA CITY, NEB.—Business Mens Carnival. June 2-6, inclusive, 1903. John Nordhouse, Secy.
NEW ALBANY, IND.—Merchant's Street Fair, May 18-23, inclusive, 1903. Walter Coons, Secy.
NEW ALBANY, IND.—No. 5 U. R. K. of P. Carnival. Aug. 24-29, inclusive, 1903. Frank Marsh, Secy.
NEW CASTLE, PA.—Mid-Summer Carnival, July 20-25, 1903. W. S. Heck Carnival Co. attractions.
NORFOLK, VA.—Merchants Free Street Fair. May 11-16, inclusive, 1903. Chas. H. Consolro, Secy. Gaskill-Mundy-Levitt Carnival Co., attractions.
OMEGO, KAS.—Street Fair & Carnival. June 3-6, inclusive, 1903. C. K. Czarlinsky, St. Louis, Mo., Pro. and Mgr.
OSAWATOMIE, KAN.—Business Men's Carnival May 25-30, 1903. J. N. Nicely, Secy.; Patterson & Brainerd Carnival Co., attractions.
OTTERBEIN, IND.—Citizen's Band Carnival, Aug. 19-21, inclusive, 1903. E. V. Gougar, Secy.
OTTUMWA, IA.—Industrial Carnival. June 29-July 4, 1903. J. H. Mitchell, Secy.; Patterson & Brainerd, attractions.
PADUCAH, KY.—Emancipation Celebration, Aug. 8, 1903. Minor Bradshaw, 423 S. 7th St., Secy.
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PATTERSON, N. J.—Out Door Carnival. June 8-20, 1903. Walter B. Johnson, Chairman.
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ROANOKE, VA.—May Festival & Gala Week. May 4 to 9, 1903.
ROBINSON, ILLS.—Street Fair and Carnival, July —, 1903. A. Palmer, Secy.
ROCKPORT, IND.—M. W. of A. Street Fair. June 1-6, 1903. J. T. McCullum, Secy.; Hall's Carnival Co., attractions.
ROODHOUSE, ILL.—Harvest Festival and Carnival. Aug. 4-8, 1903. E. H. Todd, promoter and manager.
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SCHENECTADY, N. Y.—Fair & Carnival. Auspices of Macabees. June 25-July 4, 1903. F. M. Van Alstigne, Secy.
SCRANTON, PA.—Military Tournament and Carnival, June 29-July 4, 1903. W. S. Heck Carnival Co. furnish attractions.
SEYMOUR, IND.—Carnival and Big Street Fair, May 11-16.
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VERSAILLES, KY.—Red Men's Fair and Carnival. June 8-13, inclusive, 1903. Fleming Meek, Secy. Great Eastern Carnival Co. Attr.
VILLISCA, IA.—Merchants' Free Street Fair and Carnival, Aug. 5-8, 1903. Bauscher Carnival Co. attractions.
WARREN, PA.—Street Fair and Carnival, June 29-July 4, 1903. F. R. Scott, Mgr.
WASHINGTON, N. C.—K. of P. Free Street Fair . April27 to May 2, 1903. Jos. F. Taylor, Sec. Hatch-Adams Carnival Co. attractions.
WEBSTER CITY, IA.—4th Annual Carnival. June 9-13, 1903. W. B. Kearns, Secy.
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BIRMINGHAM, ALA.—United Assn. of Plumbers, Gas and Steam Fitters Convtn. Aug. 17 1903. L. W. Tilden, 518-520 Ogden Bldg., Chicago, Ill., Gen'l. Secy. & Treas.
MONTOMERY, ALA.—Knights Templar Grand Commandery Convtn. May 13-14, 1903. Geo. A. Beauchamp, gr. recorder.
MONTGOMERY, ALA—Travlers Protective Assn. State Convtn. May 7-8, 1903. T. L. Higdon, Birmingham, Ala.
TUSCALOOSA, ALA.—I. O. O. F. Grand Lodge Convention, May 4-7, 1903. H. C. Weaver, Huntsville, Ala., Secy.

ARKANSAS.

CAMDEN, ARK.—W. C. T. U. State Convention, May —, 1903. Mrs. Sue D. Robertson, Searcy, Ark., Secy.
JONESBORO, ARK.—State Medical Society Convention. April 30-May 2, 1903.
LITTLE ROCK, ARK.—State Pharmaceutical Assn. Convention, May 12-14, 1903. L. K. Snodgrass, 120 Main St., Secy.
LITTLE ROCK, ARK.—14th Prot. Episcopal Diocesan Convention. May 13-15, 1903. Hon. J. M. Daggert, Marianna, Ark. secy.
MAMMOTH SPRINGS, ARK.—G. A. R. State Encampment, May 19-21, 1903. John H. Avery Secy.

CALIFORNIA.

LOS ANGLES, CAL.—Nat'l. Switchmen's Union of America Convtn. May 18, 1903.
LOS ANGELES, CAL.—Presbyterian Church Gen'l Assembly. May 21-June 1, 1903, inclusive. Rev. Wm. H. Roberts, 1319 Walnut St., Philadelphia, Pa., Secy.

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OAKLAND, CAL.—State Sunday School Convention, May 5-7, 1903. Chas. R. Fisher, 710 18th St., Secy.
SAN FRANCISCO, CAL.—Ladies of the G. A. R. State Convention, May 7-9, 1903. Venice F. Cushing, 574 16th St., Oakland, Cal.
SAN FRANCISCO, CAL.—Pacific State Floral Congress Convention. May —, 1903. Mrs. Austin Sperry, 2100 Pacific Ave., Secy.
SAN FRANCISCO, CAL.—G. A. R. State Encampment. May 7-8, 1903. T. C. Masteller, 332 City Hall, Cor. Secy.
SAN FRANSISCO, CAL.—Jr. O. U. A. M. National Council. Herman Paine, 3133-22nd St., Secy.
SAN FRANSISCO, CAL.—N. R. O. U. A. M. Supreme Commandery Convtn. June 15, 1903. C. D. Hauptuferer, 1110 E. 4th St., Canton, O., Secy.
SAN FRANCISCO, CAL.—National Encampment of G. A. R., Aug. 17-22, 1903.
SAN FRANCISCO, CAL.—National Master Plumbers' Assn Convention, May 19 to 22, 1903 E. D. Hembrook, Kansas City, Mo., Sec.
SAN FRANCISCO, CAL.—Companion of Foresters' Supreme Council Convtn. May 18, 1903. Mrs. F. N. Corwin, 102 O'Farrell St., Sec'y
SANTA CRUZ, CAL.—Foresters of America Grand Lodge Convention, May 5, 1903. John J. Cordy, 120 O'Farrel St., San Francisco, Cal., Secy.

COLORADO.

COLORADO SPRINGS, COLO.—A. O. U. W. Grand Lodge Convention. May 12, 1903. F. M. Roberts, Denver, Colo., gr. recorder.
DENVER, COL.—Nat'l. Assn. of Elocutionists Convtn. June 29-July 4, 1903. Mrs. Mary H. Ludlun, 3909 W. Belle Place, St. Louis, Mo., Secy.
DENVER, COLO.—Rocky Mountain Bill Posters Assn. Convention. May 23, 1903. A. H. Searles, 1728 Lawrence St., secy. and treas.
DENVER, COL.—International Christian Endeavor Convtn. July 9-13, 1903.
DENVER, COLO.—National Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen's Convention, May 8, 1903. A. E. King, Trust Co. Bldg., Cleveland O., secy.
DENVER, COL.—Forresters of America Grand Convtn. June 11, 1903. Thos. S. Rees, 1620 Stout St., Secy.
PUEBLO, COL.—State Dental Assn. Convtn. June 16-18 inclusive, 1903. Brierly, 70 Barth Blk., Denver, Col., Secy.
PUEBLO, COLO.—Jr. O. U. A. M. State Council Convention. May 12, 1903. C. H. Peters, 211 California Bldg., Denver, Colo., secy.

CONNECTICUT.

BRIDGEPORT, CONN.—A. O. Nobles of Mystic Shrine Convention, May 5, 1903. T. H. MacDonald, 1593 Fairfield ave., Secretary.
BRIDGEPORT, CONN.—A. M. E. Zion Church New England Conference. May 6, 1903. Rev. John J. Snyder, Sec'y.
DANBURY, CT.—G. A. R. State Encampment, May 6, 1903. John H. Thacher, Hartford, Conn., Secy.
HARTFORD, CONN.—State Electric Medical Association Convtn. May 12, 1903. Dr. Thos. Mulligan, New Britain, Conn., Pres.
HARTFORD, CONN.—State Beekeepers Assn. Convtn. May —, 1903. E. B. Peck, Clinton, Conn., Secy.
MIDDLETOWN, CONN.—Sons of St. George Grand Lodge Convtn. Aug. 11, 1903. W. A. Crute, 33 Bishop St., New Haven, Conn., Secy.
NEW HAVEN, CONN.—Sons of the American Revolution Nat'l. Convtn. April 30-May 2, 1903. Capt. Chas. W. Haskins, 317 W. 14th St., New York City, N. Y., Secy.
NEW HAVEN, CONN.—American Philological Assn. Convtn. Beginning July 7, 1903. Prof. Herbert Smythe, Harvard University, Cambridge, Mass., Secy.
NEW HAVEN, CONN.—13th Annual Convtn. of Connecticut Music Teachers Assn. May 4-6, 1903. A. J. Wilkins, Bridgeport, Conn., Secy.
NEW HAVEN, CT.—I. O. O. F. Grand Lodge Convention. May —, 1903. Fredrick Botsford, secy.
NEW HAVEN, CONN.—Knights of Columbus Nat'l. Meeting. June 2, 1903. Daniel Colwell, Nat'l. Secy.
NEW HAVEN, CONN.—Gen'l. Assn. of Congregational Ministers of Conn., Convtn. June 16-17, 1903. Rev. Joel S. Ives, Hartford, Conn., Registrar.
NEW LONDON, CONN.—State Master Plumbers Association Convention. May 6, 1903. Wm. P. Kirk, 235 Middle St., Secy.
TORRINGTON, CONN.—Women's Relief Corps State Convention, May —, 1903. Emma D. Chase, Milford, Conn., Pres.

DELEWARE.

DOVER, DEL.—State Medical Society Convtn. June 9, 1903. Dr. John Palmer, Jr., Wilmington, Del., Secy. Dr. Luther S. Conwell, Camden, Del., Asst. Secy.
SMYRNA, DEL.—117th Prot. Episcopal Diocesan Convtn. June 3, 1903. J. W. White, Jacksonville, Fla., Secy
WILMINGTON, DEL.—Foresters of America Grand Court Convention, May —, 1903. A. F. Schrank, 814 Walnut St., Philadelphia, Pa., Secy.
WILMINGTON, DEL.—G. A. R. State Encampment, May 7, 1903. J. S. Litzenberg, Secy.

DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA.

WASHINGTON, D. C.—Association of American Institutions for Feeble Minded Convention, May 15-16, 1903. A. C. Rogers, Faribault, Minn., Secy.
WASHINGTON, D. C.—The International Typographical Union Convtn. Beginning Aug. 10, 1903. James M. Lynch, Pres.; J. W. Bramwood, Secy. & Treas.
WASHINGTON, D. C.—American Neurological Association Convention, May 12-14, 1903. G. H. Hammond, M. D., 58 W. 45th st., New York City, N. Y., secretary.
WASHINGTON, D. C.—American Pediatric Society Convention, May 12-14, 1903. Samuel S. Adams, M. D., 1 Dupont Circle, Secy.
WASHINGTON, D. C.—American Chemical Society Convtn. July (1st. week), 1903. Albert C. Hale, 352 A. Hancock St., Brooklyn, N. Y., Secy.
WASHINGTON, D. C.—American Ophthalmological Society Convtn. May —, 1903. S. B. St. John, M. D., 68, Pratt St., Hartford, Conn., Secy.
WASHINGTON, D. C.—American Laryngological Assn. Convtn. May —, 1903. James E. Newcomb, M. D., 118 W. 69th St., New York City, Secy.
WASHINGTON, D. C.—American Climatological Assn. Convtn. May 12, 1903. Guy Hinsdale, M. D., 3943 Chestnut St., Philadelphia, Pa., Secy.
WASHINGTON, D. C.—American Dermatological Assn. Convtn. May 12, 1903. Chas. J. White, M. D. 259 Mailbora St., Boston, Mass.
WASHINGTON, D. C.—American Orthopedic Assn. Convtn. May 12-14, 1903. Dr. A. R. Shouds, Secy.
WASHINGTON, D. C.—American Physicians Assn. Convtn. May 12-14, 1903. Henry Hun, M. D., 149 Washington Ave., Albany, N. Y., Secy.
WASHINGTON, D. C.—American Gynecological Society Convtn. May 12-14, 1903. J. Riddle, Goffe, 122 E. 35 St., New York City, Secy.
WASHINGTON, D. C.—American Surgical Assn. Convention. May 12-14, inclusive, 1903. Dudley P. Allen, M. D., 278 Prospect St., Cleveland St., secy.
WASHINGTON, D. C.—American Academy of Medicine Convention. May 11 and 12, 1903. Charles McIntire, Easton, Pa., pres.; Dr. Alex. R. Cray, Columbus, Pa., secy.
WASHINGTON, D. C.—I. O. R. M. Great Council of North Carolina Convention. May 6, 1903. W. Bren Goodwin, Box 226, Elizabeth City, N. C., secy.
WASHINGTON, D. C.—American Medico Psychological Assn. Convention, May 12-15, 1903. A. B. Richardson, M. D., Secy.

FLORIDA.

JACKSONVILLE, FLA.—I. O. U. M. State Council Convention. May 19, 1903. C. I. Rawton, P. O. Box 276, Palatka, Fla., secy.
JACKSONVILLE, FLA.—Grand Commander K. T. of Fla. Convention. May 14, 1903. W. P. Webster, gr. recorder.
JACKSONVILLE, FLA.—Grand Chapter R. A. M. of Fla. Convention. May 12, 1903. W. P. Webster, gr. secy.
JACKSONVILLE, FLA.—Episcopal Church Diocesan Convention, May 6-9, 1903.
JACKSONVILLE, FLA.—Funeral Directors State Convention. May 12, 1903. C. M. Bingham, Jr., Dayton, Fla., secy. and treas.
KEY WEST ,FLA.—I. O. O. T. Grand Lodge Convention. April 28 to May 22, 1903. C. F. Kluep, Sec.
LAKE CITY, FLA.—G. W. Order of Odd Fellows Grand Lodge Convtn. May 5, 1903. L. J. Diggs, Box 194, Sec'y.
MIAMI, FLA.—State Horticultural Society Convention. May —, 1903. Stephen Powers, Jacksonville, Fla., secy.
OCALA, FLA.—State Teachers' Association Convention April 28 to May 1, 1903. B. F. Hartwell, Sec.
SEA BREEZE, FLA.—State Dental Society Convention. May 27, 1903. Dr. J. D. Finch, Gainesville, Fla., pres.; Dr. D. D. Beckman, Dayton, Fla., secy.

GEORGIA.

ATLANTA, GA.—Grand Lodge Knights of Pythia's Convtn. May 19-21, 1903. W. H. Leopold, G. K. of R. & S. Savannah, Ga., Secy.
ATLANTA, GA.—South Eastern Billposters & Distributors Assn. Convention, May 18, 1903. Chas. Bernard, Savanah, Ga. Secy.
ATLANTA, GA.—State Legislature Meets (fifty days) June 24, 1903.
ATLANTA, GA.—Knights of Fidelity Grand Lodge Convtn. June 8, 1903. H. C. Brinkman, 226 St. Julian St., Savannah, Ga., Grand Recorder.
ATLANTA, GA.—Nat'l Conference of Charities and Correction. May 6-12, 1903. Jos. P. Byers, Jeffersonville, Ind., Secy.
AUGUSTA, GA.—State Sunday School Workers & B. Y. P. U. Convtn. July 22, 1903. Prof. A. R. Johnson, Pres.; Prof. J. S. Brandon, Secy.
AUGUSTA, GA.—Y. P. S. C. E. State Convtn. May 7-11, 1903. F. G. Shaw, Leonard Bldg, Sec.
MACON, GA.—State Horticultural Society Convtn. Aug. —, 1903. P. J. Berckmans, Upper Mont Clair, N. J., Pres.; W. M. Scott, Atlanta, Ga., Secy.
MACON, GA.—I. O. R. M. Great Council Convention, May 11-14, 1903. John T. Abney, 1101 19th St., Columbus, Ga., Secy.
SAVANNAH, GA.—Southern Baptist Annual Convention. May 8-13, 1903. Rev. John D. Jordan, Secy.
SAVANNAH, GA.—Annual Diocesan Convention. of the Episcopal Church. May 13, 1903.
SAVANNAH, GA.—Ga. Sociological Society Convention. May —, 1903.
SAVANNAH, GA.—American Local Freight Agent's Assn. Convtn. June 9-14, 1903. G. W Dennison, P. Co., & H. v. Ry., Toledo, O., Secy.
TULULAH FALLS, GA.—Ga., State Dental Society Convtn. June 9, 1903. J. M. Mason, Macon, Ga., Pres.; H. A. Lawrence, Athens, Ga. Treas.; O. H. McDonald, Atlanta, Ga., Cor. Secy

IDAHO.

HARLEY, IDAHO.—A. O. U. W. Grand Lodge Convention, May —, 1903.

ILLINOIS.

BELVIDERE, ILLS.—Fifteenth Ill. Infantry Association Convention. May 2, 1903. Geo. I. Allen, Dept. U. S. Marshall, Chicago, Ill., secy.
BLOOMINGTON, ILL.—Spanish-American War Veterans Dept. Encampment, June 2-4, inclusive, 1903. Address R. F. Berry.
BLOOMINGTON, ILL.—State Photographers' Association Convtn. May 5-7, 1903.
BLOOMINGTON, ILL.—M. W. of A. State Convention. May —, 1903. W. M. Groves, Lawrenceville, Ill., secy.
CHICAGO, ILL.—Natl. Hay Assn. Convention. June 16-18, inclusive, 1903. P. E. Goodrich, Winchester, Ind., Secy. and Treas.
CHICAGO, ILL.—Stamp Collectors' Assn. of America Convtn. Aug. 11-13, inclusive, 1903. L. Brodstone, Box 60, Superior, Neb., Secy.
CHICAGO, ILL.—American Camera Club Exchange. Aug. —, 1903. L. Brodstone, Box 60, Superior, Neb., Secy.

CHICAGO, ILL.—Nat'l Assn. Car Service Managers Convtn. June 16, 1903. A. G. Thomason, Scranton, Pa., Secy.
CHICAGO, ILL.—State Homeopathic Medical Assn. Convention. May 12-14, 1903, inclusive, 1903. Edgar J. George, M. D., 801, Marshall Field Bldg., secy.
CHICAGO, ILL.—Sheet Metal Workers Nat'l. Alliance Convtn. May —, 1903. Mervyn Pratt, New York, N. Y., Secy.
CHICAGO, ILL.—Nat'l. Electric Light Assn. Convtn. May 22-28, 1903. James B. Cahoon, New York City, N. Y., Secy.
CHICAGO, ILL.—National Christian Assn. Convention, May 14-15, 1903. Wm. I. Phillips, 221 W. Madison St., Secy.
CHICAGO, ILL.—State Medical Society Convtn. April 29-May 2, 1903. Jas. H. Stowell, 103 State St., Secy.
CHICAGO, ILL.—International Folk Lore Assn. Convtn. May —, 1903. Mrs. Helen Bassett, 5308 Kimback Ave., Secy.
CHICAGO, ILL.—National Slack Cooperage Mfrs. Assn. Convention. May 5 and 6, 1903. M. C. Moore, 304 Montgomery Bldg., Milwaukee, Wis., secy. and treas.
DECATUR, ILL.—Knights of Columbus State Council Convtn. May 5, 1903. John A. Lambert, 1113 Chamber of Commerce, Chicago, Ill., Secy.
EAST ST. LOUIS, ILL.—Sons of Veterans State Encampment, May 5-7, 1903. Col. J. E. Seabert, Dwight, Ill., Secy.
EAST ST. LOUIS, ILL.—G. A. R. State Encampment. May 5-7, 1903. E. A. Thomas, Secy.
PEORIA, ILL.—A. O. U. W. Grand Lodge Convention, May —, 1903. C. H. Lefler, 509 Monson St., Secy.
PEORIA, ILL.—D. of H. Grand Lodge Convention, May —, 1903.
ROCK ISLAND, ILL.—United Christian Party Nat'l. Convtn. May 1, 1903. W. R. Benkert, Davenport, Ia., Secy.
ROCK ISLAND, ILL.—United Commercial Travelers Supreme Council Convention. May 15-16, 1903. Geo. R. Hart, 160 Clark St., Chicago, Ill., gr. secy.
STREATOR ILL.—Foresters of America Grand Court Convention, May 12-14, 1903. R. S. D. McLean, 3617 LaSalle St., Chicago, Ill., Secy.

INDIANA.

ANDERSON, IND.—G. A. R. State Encampment. May. 12-14, 1903. R. M. Smock, 25 State House, Indianapolis, Ind., Secy.
ANDERSON, IND.—Ladies of the G. A. R. State Encampment. May 12-14, 1903.
ANDERSON, IND.—Tin Plate Worker's Protective Assn. Convention. May 5, 1903. C. E. Sawyer, Reilly Block, Wheeling, W. V., Secy.
FT. WAYNE, IND.—Catholic Benevolent League of Indiana Convention. May 12, 1903. Julian F. Franke, Court St., asp. secy.
GLENWOOD, IND.—P. O. S. of A. State Camp Convtn. Aug. 11, 1903. Sam O. Symmes, Crawfordsville, Ind., Secy.

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EXPOSITIONS.

BALTIMORE, MD.—Eagles Industrial Exposition, June 1-20, 1903. Frederick C. Schanberger, Gen'l Mgr. Privileges, 11 St. Paul St., Baltimore, Md.
BINGHAMTON, N. Y.—Binghamton Industrial Exposition. Sept. 29-Oct. 2, 1903. Henry S. Martin, Secy.
BIRMINGHAM, ALA.—Worlds Mineral Manufactured and Agricultural Exhibitioon. 1905.
BRYAN, TEX.—3rd Annual Exposition. Aug. 18-21, inclusive, 1903. Paul Bradley. Secy.
CEDAR RAPIDS, IA.—Industrial Exposition. May 7-16, inclusive, 1903. Ira B. Thomas, 66-68 Clapp Block, Des Moines, Ia., Sec'y.
CINCINNATI, O.—Cincinnati Fall Festival. Sept. 7-19, inclusive, 1903. H. D. Crane, Secy.
CORKE, IRELAND.—Greater Corke Exposition. —, 1903.
NOTTINGHAM, ENGLAND.—Industrial Exposition. Opening May 30, 1903.
OSAKA, JAPAN.—National Industrial Exposition of Japan. March 1 to July 31, 1903.
PITTSBURG, PA.—Annual Exposition. Sept. 2-Oct. 24, inclusive, 1903. T. J. Fitzpatrick, Gen. Mgr.
PORTLAND, ORE.,—Portland International Exposition. 1905.
PROVIDENCE, R. I.—2nd Annual Exposition, July1-Sept. 8, 1903.
REIMS, FRANCE.—Industrial Exposition, May 1-Sept. 30, 1903.
ST. LOUIS, MO.,—World's International Exposition. 1904. Ex- Gov. D. R. Frances, pres.
SARDINIA, O.—Exposition. Sept. 1-4, inclusive. 1903. G. A. Kennedy, Pres.; J. W. Campbell, Sec'y.

BENCH SHOWS.

DANBURY, CONN.—Danbury Agr'l. Society. Bench Show. Oct. 6-9, 1903. James Mortimer, Supt.

LIVE STOCK SHOWS.

NEW YORK CITY, N. Y.—American Jersey Cattle Club Show. May 6, 1903.

HORSE SHOWS.

ATLANTA, GA.—Horse Show. Oct. 13-16, 1903.
BERRYVILLE, VA.—Horse Show. August 12-13, 1903.
BIRMINGHAM, ALA.—Horse Show. May 26-29, 1903.
BROOKLYN, N. Y.—Brooklyn Horse Show. May 6-9, 1903. Allan Pinkerton, 57 Broadway New York City, Secy.
CHARLOTTESVILLE, VA.—Horse Show. Sept. 2-3, 1902.
COLORADO SPRINGS, COLO.—Horse Show. Aug. 25-28, inclusive, 1903.
CULPEPPER, VA.—Horse Show. July 3-4, 1903.
DETROIT, MICH.—Horse Show. June 16-19, inclusive, 1903.
EVANSVILLE, IND.—Horse Show. June 2-5, inclusive, 1903.
FT. WORTH, TEX.—Horse Show. April 27-30, inclusive, 1903.
FRONT ROYAL, VA.—Horse Show. August 5-6, 1903.
GALLATIN, MO.—5th Annual Horse Show. September 1-5, inclusive, 1903. R. J. Hall, Secy.
HARRISONBURG, VA.—Horse Show. Aug. 26-27, 1903.
KANSAS CITY, MO.—Horse Show. Oct. 19-24, 1903.
LEESBURG, VA.—Horse Show. June 3-4, 1903.
LEXINGTON, KY.—Horse Show. Auspices of No. 89 B. P. O. E. Aug. 10-15, 1903. Geo. A. Bain, Pres.; W. F. Warren, Treas.; Paul M. Justice, Secy.
LITTLE ROCK, ARK.—Horse Show. May 19-21, 1903.
LOUISVILLE, KY.—Horse Show. Oct. 1-6, 1903.
LYNCHBURG, VA.—Horse Show. Oct. 7-10, 1903.
MANASSAS, VA.—Horse Show. July 21-22, 1903.
MILWAUKEE, WIS.—Horse Show. July 14-17, inclusive, 1903. Gustave G. Cabst, Pres.; August Nihlen, Treas.; Oliver C. Fuller, Secy.
MINNEAPOLIS, MINN.—Horse Show, July 1-4, inclusive, 1903.
MOBILE, ALA.—Horse Show, May 1, 1903. J. K. Glennon, Secy.
NASHVILLE, TENN.—Horse Show. Oct. 13-16, 1903.
NEW HARMONY, IND.—Horse Show. May 1, 1903. Geo. C. Taylor, Secy.
OMAHA, NEB.—Horse Show. Sept. 15-18, inclusive, 1903.
ORANGE, VA.—Horse Show. July 28-29, 1903.
PARIS, TEX.—Horse Show. May 12-15, 1903.
PUEBO, COLO.—Horse Show. Aug. 18-21, inclusive, 1903.
RICHMOND, VA.—Horse Show. Oct. 12-17, 1903.
ST. PAUL, MINN.—Horse Show. July 7-10, inclusive, 1903.
SAN ANTONIA, TEX.—Horse Show. May 5-7, inclusive, 1903.
SIOUX CITY, IOWA.—Horse Show. Aug. 4-7, 1903.
SHREVEPORT, LA.—Horse Show. May 5-7, inclusive, 1903.
UPPERVILLE, VA.—Horse Show. June 10-11, 1903.
WORCESTER, MASS.—Grafton Co. Club Horse Show, May 30, 1903.

FOOD SHOWS.

BUFFALO, N. Y.—Pure Food Show. Apr. 27-May 11, 1903. Address H. P. Wiser, 649 Main St., Buffalo, N. Y.
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FOURTH OF JULY CELEBRATIONS.

EMINENCE, KY.—J. C. Helburn, Secy.
GREAT BARRINGTON, MASS.—C. F. Dillon, Chairman.
LAPORTE, IND.—4th of July Celebration. Geo. D. Benson, 723 Odd Fellows Bldg., St. Louis, Mo., Mgr.
NEW HARMONY, IND.—Annual Log Rolling Assn. of the Modern Woodmen of America. July 4, 1903. Geo. C. Taylor, Secy.
OTTUMWA, IA.—Industrial Carnival and Fourth of July Celebration. A. H. Barkley, Promoter.

PICNICS.

EMINENCE, KY.—Odd Fellows Picnic, July 4, 1903. J. C. Helburn, Secy.
JANESVILLE, WIS.—Modern Woodmen's Picnic. June 4, 1903.
OSTERBURG, PA.—18th Annual Industrial Picnic. August 11-14, 1903. Geo. W. Oster, Secy.

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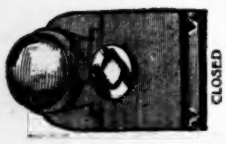

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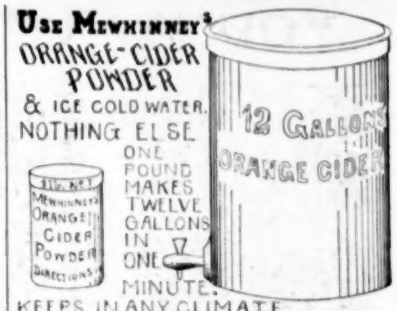

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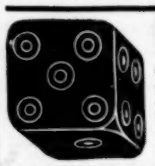

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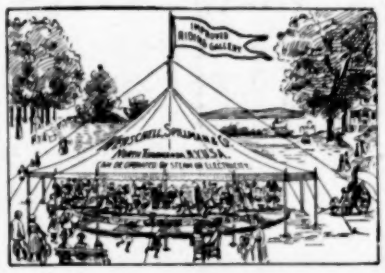

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